MULLINS SLAYERS LOSE APPEAL

NEW TRIAL FOR 2 BOYS IS REFUSED

A new trial was to-day refused James Mantie and Peter Delorey, who were convicted November 17 in the Middlesex Superior Court of the murder of Annie Mullins, on March 27, 1908.

Judge Fox and White, who presided at the trial, to-day handed their opinion refusing a new trial. The jury found Mantie guilty in the second degree and Delorey of manslaughter. The ending of the judges to-day is as follows:

We think that the defendants cannot justly complain of the verdicts rendered by the jury. The grounds for discrediting the testimony of Mrs. Delorey and the confession of Peter Delorey were fully presented by able counsel. The jury were attentive and intelligent men, and were fitted to deal with the issues in the case. Their conclusion should be accepted. The motions for a new trial are refused.

(Signed) JABEZ FOX.
LLOYD E. WHITE.

An appeal to the Supreme Court, which meets next May, the exceptions already having been filed, is the only remaining chance for the two young men.

Mantie and Delorey are confined in the East Cambridge Jail, awaiting sentence, imprisonment for life is the punishment for second degree murder. What term the judges will give Delorey none knows.

MORGAN HERE, ATTENDS B. & M. BOARD SESSION

J. Pierpont Morgan reached Boston from New York at 4.25 o'clock this afternoon to attend the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Boston & Maine railroad which was held in the offices of the road at the North Station. President Charles S. Mellen of the New Haven was present, reaching Boston earlier in the day.

Mr. Morgan came in his private car. It ran into the South Station and Mr. Morgan emerged from the car and walked in a long cavern far overhead. He wore a silk hat. He was accompanied by a secretary. They called a cab and were whisked to the North Station. Mr. Morgan would not discuss his visit here. It was said that he would return to New York immediately after the meeting.

The meeting was called to discuss the welfare of the road under its ownership, which came when the majority of the stock passed into the hands of the New Haven road.

LINER BUNKER HILL CRASHES INTO DOCK

The Merchants' Line steamship Bunker Hill, from New York, was crashing at Central Wharf to-day when a jolt of wind struck her side-on and made her unmanageable. The big steel freighter struck the pierhead of the wharf, tending the boat rubber fenders to check the force of the matches. The whole corner of the wharf was wrecked. What damage was done to the steamer is to be learned either by a diver or by docking her.

CORTLAND MYERS HIT BY CHANDELIER

Rev. Cortland Myers, D. D., pastor of Tremont Temple, had a close call from death to-day. He was addressing from his study in the temple to the elevator and while going through a corridor a twelve-light chandelier fell from the ceiling, striking the clergyman on the head. He was stunned by the blow and was carried into his study, where he soon revived. Dr. Myers sustained an ugly bruise on the head, but otherwise he escaped injury.

POLICE GO TO AID OF SHIVERING HORSE

If the driver for a delivery outfit marked 'Wrecker & Wilson' wishes to find the horse left standing at the corner of Willard and Leverett streets, West End, from 8 o'clock to-night, he can obtain the animal at the Joy street police station. Indignant residents, who noticed the shivering beast, telephoned the police. Patrolman Gleason went looking for the driver. Failing to find him, Gleason drove the hitch to the police stables.

S. S. PRINCESS IRENE LOSES HER RUDDER

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The North German Lloyd liner Princess Irene has lost her rudder at sea. She was so announced on a wireless dispatch received to-day by the agents of the line. She left here December 30 and at the time of the report was in longitude 45. All the passengers are safe, and the ship is steering by propellers for Bremen.

GUEST IS FOUND DEAD IN HER BED

Miss Minnie Palmer of Concord, N. H., fifty years old, was found dead in bed to-day at the home of Frank S. Vetal, No. 134 Stanford street, where she was spending the night. Miss Palmer came to Boston yesterday, left ill and went to Vetal's, whose family she knows well. Mrs. Vetal gave her a room for the night. At 11 o'clock to-day, when Vetal knocked at her door, she was dead. The police think death was due to natural causes.

ONE IS KILLED IN BOAT EXPLOSION

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 4.—In a boiler explosion on a pumping boat of the People's Fuel Company, near Industry, Pa., three miles below, George Young of Fayette City was instantly killed. The explosion was caused by a flue bursting.

TWO YOUNG MEN FOUND GUILTY OF MULLINS KILLING

Peter Delorey.

James Mantie.

AVIATOR'S DEATH PUNCE

BOSTON AMERICAN

Weather Forecast — Fair and Colder

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FOURTH EDITION

COLD TO INCREASE TO-NIGHT

TEMPERATURE.

Midnight	27
1 a. m.	25
2 a. m.	22
3 a. m.	18
4 a. m.	15
5 a. m.	11
6 a. m.	10
7 a. m.	8
8 a. m.	6
9 a. m.	5
10 a. m.	4
11 a. m.	7
Noon	7
1 p. m.	7
2 p. m.	7

The cold wave from the Canadian Northwest which hit Boston during the night sent the thermometer down twenty-three degrees in ten hours to-day. The cold resisted the sun's rays. Instead of a higher temperature with the early morning sun, the mercury continued to drop. From twenty-seven degrees above at midnight it fell to eight above at 7 a. m. At 8 a. m. it was only six above. By 10 a. m. it was down to four above for the second time this Winter in Boston. On December 31, last, the mercury dropped to four above zero.

At 11 o'clock to-day the mercury crept slightly to rose one degree. But this, the weatherman said, was only a teaser, for more cold was in prospect. His local forecast was:

"Fair, somewhat colder to-night. Wednesday continued cold. Moderate Northwest winds."

The weatherman did himself proud on this cold wave. He prophesied it yesterday afternoon and delivered the goods. About midnight a northwest wind blew over Greater Boston, accompanied by a falling temperature. As the mercury dropped the wind rose till the outer air was almost unendurable.

Commuters, who heard the wind howl at daybreak, figured on milder weather for the day, but were disappointed. The wind went down a trifle, but the atmosphere warmed up only a little.

Lodging by what the weatherman says about to-night and to-morrow, Boston is in for a real, blown-in-the-bottle cold stretch and might as well be resigned to it.

Boston isn't as cold as some, however. How would you like to be in Moorehead, Minn., at 20 below, or St. Paul at 16 below, or Seattle, Yt., at the same temperature, or even at Eastport, Me., at 12 below?

Cold in Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 4.—At 6 a. m. the official thermometer at the local weather bureau registered 8 above.

Blizzard at Ithaca.

ITHACA, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Zero weather and three inches of snow are Tompkins County's share of the northwest blizzard. The gale reached forty two miles an hour.

Big Drop in Temperature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—This city and vicinity is experiencing a severe cold wave. The temperature at 7 a. m. was 9 above zero, this being a drop of more than twenty degrees during the previous twenty-four hours.

Zero at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 4.—At 7 a. m. the mercury was at zero. This was a drop of about thirty degrees in twenty-four hours.

FIND BODY OF AGED DENTIST IN THE CREEK

The body of aged Dr. Sylvester H. Adams the wealthy Chelsea dentist, who eluded the vigilance of his nurse last Friday night, was found by a professional diver to-day in the waters of Chelsea creek, wedged between pilings under the Meridian street drawbridge, which connects Chelsea and East Boston.

While the formal opinion of the medical examiner has not been given on the case, the police believe it to be one of suicide.

Dr. Adams was seventy-two years old and had practised dentistry in Boston for fifty-six years. He had accumulated a big fortune.

A month ago he became so melancholy that a male nurse was engaged to attend him in his fashionable lodgings, No. 1275 Washington avenue, Chelsea.

Last Friday night Dr. Adams slipped out of his apartment unknown to the nurse. An hour later his hat and coat were found on the Meridian street bridge by lieutenant Dan McGarvey.

After waiting in vain for any sign of the body, Dr. Adams's relatives applied for Captain Alfred Sorenson, the municipal diver, who is at work on the wreck of the Doyle Paine at the Graves. Captain Sorenson put Diver Bert Gifford on the Meridian street bridge to-day. Gifford went down in his diving armor from the bridge pontoon under where Dr. Adams's hat and coat were found. The first dive brought him to the body hanging between the pilings.

Gifford raised the body to the surface. It was towed around to the bridge float to await the arrival of the harbor police and the medical examiner.

FEAR MISSING MAN DIED IN BLIZZARD

KENSINGTON, N. H., Jan. 4.—Daniel Prescott of this town has disappeared from his home and there is no clew to his whereabouts. It is feared by his relatives that he has come to some untimely end.

Mr. Prescott has been subject to nervous troubles, which has caused him to be unbalanced at times. It is feared that during one of these attacks he wandered into the woods and possibly perished during the recent blizzard.

BIG SECURITY STEAL.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Central station detectives are searching for a thief who stole a sheet metal box from the vault of the Ives Publishing Company containing stocks, bonds and life insurance policies belonging to Dugal Cree, president of the company.

SWEETHEART IS SLAIN.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—Stephen Binchic, officer on a West Indian steamer, killed Annie Schoenman, his sweetheart, and mortally wounded himself. He was suspected because she had refused to go to the theatre with him.

SIGN FOR ARBITRATION.

ROME, Jan. 4.—The Foreign Minister and the Costa Rican Ambassador have signed the treaty of arbitration to be brought before the Hague Tribunal in Italy's campaign against Costa Rica.

Do it now. That is, buy a ten-cent cut of Piper Heidsieck tobacco and you will never show your father. Champagne Flavor.

FIREMEN FROZEN AT CAMBRIDGE FIRE

Children Carried Through Snow and Biting Cold to Safety—Men Badly Frost Bitten in Subduing Tenement Blaze.

Firemen were badly frostbitten, one man's hands were terribly cut, eight children were carried in blankets by lightly clad mothers and a two-family tenement house at No. 4 Blackstone street, North Cambridge, was destroyed to-day when fire broke out in the kitchen on the second floor.

The temperature was not two degrees above zero. A biting wind swept the Alewife marshes, making the work of the firemen grossly difficult and dangerous.

Mrs. Anderson Schofield, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. John Wackrow, on the second floor of the house, started to thaw out the water pipes in the kitchen sink.

Fire Feeds on Oil.

She was using a partially loaded newspaper. Oil cans which had been kept under the sink had leaked, and in a moment the floor and wall blazed fiercely. There was no water in the house either on the second or first floor with which to fight the flames.

Mrs. Anderson Schofield ran shrieking into the bedrooms alarming her daughter, Both Mr. Schofield and Mr. Wackrow had long before that hour, 7.45, gone to their work.

Mrs. Schofield has four small children Waldo, thirteen years; Myrtle, four; Mildred, six, and Dorothy, four. Mrs. Wackrow has two: Esther, six, and Gladys, two and one-half.

Downstairs, where the family of James Maguire lives were the wife and two young children.

The women ran for the children. They tore the bedclothes from the beds and wrapped the little ones in shawls, blankets or anything they could seize.

Ran Through Snow Drifts.

Without nothing on their feet but their stockings the women ran through deep snow drifts to neighboring houses where they left their children and ran back for the others.

Meantime alarms of fire were rung in. The women got out all the children and then began to try to save what valuables they could but the fire spread so rapidly they were soon driven out.

Acts of bravery and pluck rivalling anything in the history of the Cambridge department were performed by half frozen, tottering firemen.

Driving Edward Sibley, of truck Number 4, Wyeth square, stuck the hose in the crook of his arm and continued to fight the fire after both his hands and face were frozen. Pleas by other firemen that he quit and get medical assistance were in vain. It was desired that he would collapse at the pavement, but he stayed right through.

Firemen Frost-Bitten.

Driver Merton Hartley of Engine No. 1, Brattle square, who had a long drive to the scene of the blaze was forced to give up after both his hands and face were badly frozen. He was taken away and put under a doctor's care.

John Gleason, the plucky driver of Chemical No. 2, Lexington avenue, did more than his share of the work after his face had been badly frozen. He is still working with the firemen.

The hands and face of Lieutenant Daniel McLaughlin of Engine 4 were frozen, but he stayed and directed his men throughout the morning.

Timothy C. A. Danahy, a citizen on his way to work, helped the firemen save the firemen and went to their aid. His left wrist was badly cut by the hose and a doctor was called to aid him.

BANKER'S FRIENDS SAVED FROM FIRE BY ELECTRIC BELL

A freak of electricity, which caused a short circuit and rang four electric bells simultaneously on the four floors of the residence of Frank G. Webster, the wealthy Back Bay banker and clubman, awakened the nine occupants of his house at No. 167 Commonwealth avenue early to-day, when a small fire broke out at the entrance of the vestibule.

The fire is believed to have started from spontaneous combustion in the vestibule rug. The electric bell wires were burned off by the flames, causing a short circuit and all the bells on the four floors of the house rang.

Mr. Webster, his wife and daughter, and all the servants were awakened with a start. Mr. Webster rushed to the telephone and notified fire headquarters.

Engine 33 and Ladder 15 responded to the alarm and the fire was soon extinguished. The blaze was confined to the vestibule floor. The fire loss will be but $200.

Mr. Webster is connected with the banking house of Kidder, Peabody & Co. He is a member of the University and Exchange Clubs.

PICKPOCKET LOOTS JUDGE

That Judge Ely of the Municipal Court had been a victim of a pickpocket was found out when the judge, after cashing some car tickets, became known to-day. And the judge still mourns his loss.

Judge Ely left the courthouse Saturday noon to go to the home of his sister in Beacon street. He took a car at Scollay square in the subway. When he was ready to leave the car he noticed there was some jamming in the crowd and recalled it when he got of the car at Park street.

Then his eyes opened. His pocketbook was gone. He went immediately over a Prince Albert. His pocketbook was in one of the trousers pockets in front. How the light fingered artist got the pocketbook the judge can't figure out. But he did it.

Judy Ely called up police headquarters at once and told them about the presence of the crook in their midst. The police headquarters reporters did not hear of the theft until it came out to-day—not from the police department. The Judge himself corroborated the story.

"I haven't got it back yet," said the Judge. "But then I did not have much hope."

MORE CONFESS SUGAR FRAUDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Winifred Denison, who is assistant to Special Deputy Attorney General Stepp in the government investigation of the sugar frauds announced to-day that several former Sugar Trust employes had confessed and that the government was in possession of the most important evidence brought out in the investigation so far. He said that the Grand Jury would positively return more indictments against Sugar Trust men before the present session adjourned. The Grand Jury resumed its sessions to-day. It was announced that two mysterious witnesses named Britton and Meltzner had appeared secretly before the Grand Jury, and it was intimated that their had given testimony of a sensational nature.

CRIPPLES IN FIRE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Fifty-three aged men and women, many of them cripples, narrowly escaped death in a fire which destroyed the Norwegian Old Peoples Home at Norwood, causing a loss of $80,000, early to-day.

"The AMERICAN has the evening 'home' field in Boston exclusively."—Advertisers' Magazine.

FAMOUS AVIATOR KILLED

PARIS, Jan. 4.—Leon Delagrange, the aviator, was killed at Bordeaux to-day while making a flight. His aeroplane fell and he was crushed to death.

Delagrange was going at a terrific speed probably sixty five miles an hour, when the accident occurred. The plane careered, pointed forward, and a moment later the driver was on the ground caught in the tangled debris of the machine.

Delagrange had been one of the foremost of the world's aviators since the sport first came to the front. In the beginning he piloted a voisin aeroplane, but last Spring he abandoned that type and bought a Wright machine. It was in that machine that to-day's tragedy occurred.

From the time he first took up aviation in Italy in the Spring of 1908, till to-day's tragedy, he established several records and proved himself one of the most daring of the whole flock of man birds. He had no delusions over the risk of his sport. In September, 1908, after an accident, he said: "I confess that I am nervous every time I fly when I think that my propeller may break when in full motion."

Last September, in the Marinmes aerodrome at Rye, Delagrange miraculously escaped death when his plane turned a somersault before a vast crowd. Princess Clementine of Belgium was among the spectators. In turning his plane Delagrange's plane scraped a wing on the ground and was wrecked.

Other royalty than Princess Clementine witnessed his feats. King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy have seen several of his flights. Soon after he took up aeroplaning he won the Aero Club of France prize for a one-hour flight, and about the same time he beat all records then established by staying in the air 15 minutes, flying eight miles. This brought him an $8,000 prize at Rome.

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SKATING IS FAIR ON BOSTON PARKS

Reports from the parks around Boston show the skating conditions as follows:

Jamaica Pond	Fair
Franklin Field	Fair
Roslindale	Fair
Billings Field	Fair
Gibson street	Fair
Strandway	Good
Commonwealth Park	Good
First Street Playground	Good
Randolph street	Fair
North Brighton	Good
Columbus avenue	Fair
Toboggan chute	Good

OFFICIALS FREE IN CONTEMPT CASES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Three officials of Chattanooga, Tenn., sentenced by the United States Supreme Court to sixty days in jail each for failing to prevent a lynching were released to-day. They are Thomas Padgett, Reverdy Ellerson and William Mayes. They saved ten days of their sentences by good behavior. Three others, ex-Sheriff John F. Shipp, Luther Wilkinson and Nick Vanden, who were given ninety days, will be released on January 28. All were charged with contempt of court.

GILCHRIST BUYER TO SAIL.

George O. Willey, the well-known millinery buyer for Gilchrist Company of Boston, starts for Europe from New York on Wednesday of this week via steamship Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, where he will spend several weeks in and around Paris and London in quest of new novelties and millinery styles for Spring and Summer.

GLOVER EVIDENCE FOR JURY

The evidence gathered by District Attorney Higgins as to the shooting of Clarence F. Glover in Waltham, was to-day presented to the Middlesex grand jury. The secret body took up the consideration of the case at 11.30. District Attorney Higgins was reticent as to what witnesses would be called.

The witnesses gathered in the office of Mr. Higgins and were not allowed to talk to any outsiders. There were a number of women among them. Members of the police force of Waltham, the doctors who attended Glover before he died and heard his statement, and others who could throw light on the tragedy, learned of what they saw after it, were among the witnesses.

Hattie Le Blanc is held on the charge of having murdered Glover. It was presumed that the District Attorney would ask for an indictment against her for murder in the first degree.

There was also a rumor that he would ask for the indictment of others in connection with the case. No one connected with the District Attorney's office would discuss this phase of the case.

Judge Lowell, who presided at the inquest, said that there was no evidence that any one else than Hattie Le Blanc was concerned in the shooting.

REGISTRATION IN WARD 8 IS BEFORE BOARD

Before the Election Commissioners to-day the hearing on the cases of thirty-four Ward 8 voters, whom Ernest E. Smith charges are illegally registered from that ward, was resumed.

Frederick Cowie appeared for the complainant and Michael Jennings and Connell-Sullivan Burroughs represented those whom the petitioners seek to have stricken from the list.

Bernard F. Reagan was the first witness. His testimony was given to show that he resided at No. 85 Dartmouth street when he registered. He testified that he considered it his home and that he did not permanently reside there and that frequently during the year he went to Hingham, but that he considered himself a resident of Boston.

James J. Cushman of No. 68 Causeway street testified that while he had been working for some time past in Hyde Park, Roslindale and Hingham, given up that he still resided there off and on for two years.

William B. Davis, proprietor of the Fulton House, testified that Reagan went, to-day, that he did not know Cushman by name, but that perhaps Cushman had transacted his business with his clerk. Hubert Arnold, Asked to pick out the names of those he knew in a list of sixteen names, picked out John Doris cited four times, and Reagan and Cushman once each. Doris cited four times at one time or another. Patrick B. Kelly, one of those cited, was not examined as he was an employe of his, he said.

Attorney Cowie asked for an order that he could produce the register of his hotel.

TREASURY BALANCE FOR UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—December fiscal operations of the national government showed a balance on the credit side the first time during the fiscal year 1909-1910, and the first time since the Payne-Aldrich tariff law went into effect.

The receipts aggregated $59,827,836 and the disbursements $57,713,795, leaving a balance of $2,113,741.

LONG OVERDUE SHIP, ALMOST WRECK, DOCKS

The long overdue Thompson liner Catrostratis, three weeks behind her schedule, steamed slowly into port here today, looking sadly battered. She was ghostlike in a coating of ice which encrusted her from stem to stern. Even her steam whistle was frozen and mute.

Storms which beset her from the very start of her voyage until the last day had smashed one lifeboat, tore her steam pipes loose, wrenched her ventilators from their sockets, hurling them into the sea or flattening them, bent her railings, carried away her forward bridge and badly damaged her navigating bridge.

The Catrostratis was forty-two days in coming from the Mediterranean. Captain F. W. Thompson is the hero of as stormy a voyage steamship has known in a decade and lived through it. Everyone aboard the freighter had a kind word for the captain, who maintained his patience throughout the struggle with the elements and displayed skill in seamanship.

He says there were days when he feared the vessel would never reach port. She left Naples on November 28, and Palermo two days later, with a cargo of 2,500 tons of fruit and general merchandise. Boston was to be made without stop.

On December 3 she ran into a tempest which Captain Thompson thought would split the vessel wide open. Then that the greater part of the damage was done. Giant seas pounded the big ship till she was helpless.

Four days later she steamed into St. Michaels Azore Island. Her coal bunkers were almost empty. When she left St. Michaels Captain Thompson expected to reach Boston on December 17 or 18.

More storms were encountered and instances the ship made progress for days she was forced to put into the Bermudas for more coal. There she had to wait two days and was not given a full Washington day. Baffled to the last, the weather delayed her so that instead of making the run in three days as she should have it took her six.

PIG STAMPEDES WOMEN DANCERS

STAMFORD, Conn., Jan. 4.—A stampede was caused at an assembly dance given here, when a live pig was led into the ballroom by a couple of the young men and then released. As the pig started for the middle of the floor, some of the women climbed on chairs, thinking of rats, while others ran out. Only a pig fled, however, in the end.

KILLS GIRL AND SELF.

AKRON, O., Jan. 4.—Charles Schmidt, 20, shot and killed Mary Ann Barchar in front of her home in Chestnut street, after being a fugitive all night, captured early today and committed suicide by shooting a bullet in his brain. It is said Schmidt was insane.

AGED BROTHERS PERISH.

NEW FLORENCE, Pa., Jan. 4.—Two brothers, each suffering from illness and unable to help themselves, or each other, were found dead in a cold house today. The dead men are John Under, aged eighty-five, and Daniel Under, aged eighty, veteran of the Civil War.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
Paraffine Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

$15,000,000 UNION STATION IN NORTH END

Financial and transportation circles are discussing a report that two English railroad magnates are proposing to build a new $15,000,000 Union Station in Boston to accommodate the through passenger traffic of all lines running into the city.

It is said that this new station will be located in the North End, and will take in the site of the present North Station and extend into the city as far as Haymarket square, the main body of the station to include the territory now occupied by small manufactories and cheap dwellings.

It is further stated that the new station would be connected with the South Station by tunnel, so that travelers passing through Boston for Eastern or Western points will not have to change to the cars used to get from one side of the city to the other.

This will be a feature not only for the passengers going say from Portland to New York but also for those going through Boston from one nearer city to another; and it is proposed that to accommodate all the local through traffic electric trains will be run from nearly every side and pass through the new station, via the tunnel. The South Station would be used for arriving local traffic south and west of the city, as it stands before. No new terminal would be a real union station such as would accommodate all the lines in Haven, Boston & Maine and the Boston & Albany through tracks and will, therefore, be much larger than the present South Station.

"INSURGENT" WINS POLICE ELECTION

A little politics with a touch of lottery made Patrolman Thomas M. Keenan of Dorchester, South Boston, president of the Boston Police Mutual Relief Association over the state candidate, Patrolman John Devine of Dorchester. The number of credits to consult the seven new members of the board of seventeen directors led to a movement to smash the slate, and Keenan's name being the first of the insurgents to be drawn from the hat the other insurgents united and elected him. The other officers are: Vice-president, Sergeant Peter S. Skillings; clerk, Edward A. Deforge; treasurer, Captain Thomas Ryan; finance committee, Patrolman John J. McCabe, Michael J. Muldoon and Henry J. Hague; auditors, Patrolmen Edward Kline, Patrolman M. C. Brosnahan and John F. Donohue.

UPHOLD DECISION ON CREDITORS' PLEA

Judges Colt, Putnam and Aldrich of the United States Court of Appeals handed down a decision affirming the judgment of Judge Dodge of the United States Court in dismissing the petition for involuntary bankruptcy filed on December 22, 1908, against the Lewis F. Perry & Whitney Company, dealers in woods and lumber on that time on Beverly street. Judge Dodge ruled that the number of creditors on the petition was not sufficient to satisfy the law and the higher court upholds his ruling.

ELTON ART GIFT FOR BOSTON MUSEUM

An original miniature of Dr. Father, painted by Gilbert Stuart, is bequeathed to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts by the will of Cecilia St. Clair Elton, which was filed today in the Probate Court at East Cambridge. By the will Dorchester Fell for the use of the poor of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The residue of the estate is left to the Boston Episcopal Society.

Filenes Filenes
Entrance from Washington and Winter Sts. and Direct from Tunnel Trains

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Just 14 Waists, worth 1.50 and 1.75, at.. 98c
Just 66 Waists, worth 3.00 and 3.50, at.. 1.65
Just 40 Waists, worth 5.00 and 6.00, at.. 2.95
Just 46 Waists, worth 2.00 and 2.50, at.. 1.20
Just 96 Waists, worth 4.50 and 4.50, at.. 2.45
Just 16 Waists, worth 6.50 to 8.00, at.. 3.98

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NOTICE—A complete set consists of 20 coupons of consecutive dates. Only one coupon of each date will be accepted in each set.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS Up to Midnight, London Time

Love Letters of Poet De Musset Are Opened.

PARIS—Seventy-nine autograph love letters of the poet, Alfred de Musset, which were deposited thirty years ago with the National Library, have just been opened. They will be published shortly. The letters were given to the French nation at the instance of Jules Troube by the woman to whom they were addressed on the promise that the world would be informed until a certain time had elapsed after her death. She is described as Mlle. X., and it has been stipulated that her real name be kept secret. The dates of the letters run from 1837 to 1848. It is generally believed here that the mysterious Mlle. X. is a woman with whom the poet lived in intimate relations for eleven years and who married his brother Paul after Alfred's death. She carefully clipped or erased from the letters all portions which might betray her identity.

Girls Back From Far North.

LONDON—The Leader prints a column account of the adventure and discoveries in the Arctic region of Agnes Dean Cameron, the Canadian girl, who have arrived in London. Miss Cameron and Miss Brown left Edmonton in June and traveled northward to the further confines of the Mackenzie River country. They traveled in all about 10,000 miles. The girls were practically unattended on their adventurous trip, and declare the scenery to be magnificent, beyond description. The climate delightful and the few people they met most courteous.

Hewlett Appeals to Workers.

LONDON—Maurice Hewlett, the novelist, has entered the election fight with a two-column manifesto addressed to "Working men of England," in which, describing himself as "one of yourselves," he reminds the workers that they form the overwhelming majority of the electorate, and can gain everything they want by two strokes of the pencil in the polling booth. Mr. Hewlett declares that he intends to vote for a Liberal or a Laborite, because "the Lords' veto is a question of democracy solely, which must be abolished in favor of an elected body."

Feeble From Forced Feeding.

LONDON—Miss Alice Paul of Philadelphia, the American suffragette who serves a month in Holloway Jail for militant methods, will sail on the American line Haverford for Philadelphia on January 5. Miss Paul is much enfeebled through the forcible feeding she was subjected to by the prison authorities and her doctors have ordered her to take a rest. She does not intend to lecture in the United States, but will resume her work at the University of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Cleveland Likes Italy.

FLORENCE—Mrs. Grover Cleveland, who is the guest of Countess Lazzari, is passing the time pleasantly sightseeing and receiving friends. Mrs. Cleveland is looking very well and is enjoying Florence. She will go this week to Rome, coming back for another week here before returning to the United States to the opening of the schools attended by her children.

Bogus Vanderbilt in Europe.

LONDON—Inquiries are being made in London and on the European capitals on behalf of the Vanderbilt family regarding a man known by the name of Vanderbilt, and claiming a relationship with the American family of that name. The Vanderbilts, it is stated, have been annoyed for some time by references made in the press to persons claiming relationship with them.

North Pole Dinner in London.

LONDON—George A. Kessler gave a North Pole dinner at the Savoy in which the guests sat around a huge oval table, in the centre of which was the North Pole, banked around with ice, half frozen water, wrecked ships, bears, walruses and icebergs carved to look like Santa Claus.

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Wd. 25—Warren Hall, Brighton.
All of the above at 8 P. M.
And the Big NOON-DAY RALLY
American Steam Gauge Co., 220 Camden St., at 12:30 P. M.

GOV. POTHIER INAUGURATED SECOND TIME

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 4.—Governor Aram J. Pothier was today inducted into office for his second term as chief executive of the State. The oath of office was also administered to Lieutenant-Governor Zenas W. Bliss and the other State officers.

All the old-time pomp and ceremonial which has marked Rhode Island inaugurations for many years attended the inducting. Hundreds of people witnessed the traditional exercises.

In his inaugural message Governor Pothier called for retrenchment in financial matters, and for the conservation of the resources of the State. He also called the attention of the legislators to the need for the establishment of a commission for the redistricting of the State.

Owing to the illness of former Lieutenant-Governor Arthur W. Bonds, Secretary of State A. Frod Parker administered the oath of office to Senator John B. Sanborn of Newport as elected President. Riswell B. Burchard was elected Speaker of the House.

TAFT SCORED IN EDITORIAL BY GOMPERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—In the American Federationist for January appears an editorial by Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, entitled "The President and Injunction," in which he criticises President Taft for his recommendation to Congress in a recent message in which reference is made to the issuance of injunctions. The editorial is in part as follows:

"For what practical use would be the enactment of a law based on the President's recommendation proper? What tangible reform or relief could be achieved? If it has not been an injunction granted by any of the courts, federal or State, but that was based on the complainant's allegation to the court's satisfaction that unless the injunction was granted irreparable injury would follow.

"The injunctions against which we protest are those issued without notice and on the ex parte affidavit of the complainant, and which usually run for many days before the defendants can be heard in court. Then, when the injunction is made permanent, it is usually in the form of a decree which is not subject to review by the Supreme Court of the United States.

"So long as these principles are unrecognized and well defended rights, justice and freedom equally upon an equality with property rights obtain."

PETITION AGAINST BROKERAGE FIRM

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed today in the United States District Court against William H. Nutter and Henry A. Koch, doing business under the firm name of Nutter & Koch, stock brokers. The firm had offices in the basement of Associate street. The creditors who joined in the petition and the amounts alleged to be due them are: Irving W. Pollard of Cambridge, $700; Mark Abrahams, Boston, $400; David Demuth, Boston, $450. They claim that an act of bankruptcy was committed when the firm made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors on September 27 last, to Parker E. Morris.

IN EVENING GOWN WOMAN SERVES WRIT

NASHVILLE, Ill., Jan. 4.—Mrs. A. A. Cahlmeyer, the only woman deputy sheriff in Illinois, was at a social function last night dressed in evening decollete and full costume when an official of the Circuit Court appeared with injunction papers to be served in connection with a coal company strike here. Mrs. Cahlmeyer left the room, over her costume and drove three miles to the home of the man. She awakened him, and in business-like fashion read the documents.

TAFT SUBSIDY BILL GIVEN TO HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The administration's ship subsidy bill, the one that will undoubtedly be adopted by Congress, was introduced today by Representative Humphrey of Washington. The three main features of the bill consist of the payment of subsidies, the erection of a heavier tonnage tax on foreign vessels to American registry or foreign trade only with the service that those ships shall not share in the mail subsidy. It is further provided that no ship owned by any railroad company can receive a subsidy.

TAFT'S RAILROAD MESSAGE DELAYED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The President's interstate commerce special message has been again delayed, it was announced today. It will probably be sent to Congress Monday or Tuesday next. It was originally expected that this message would be delivered tomorrow, but after the conference between President Taft and the six railroad presidents yesterday it was put over two days.

PAPERS SEIZED IN ROW OVER ROSTAND

PARIS, Jan. 4.—Issues of the newspapers Leclair and Journal and the Italian newspaper Sesolo were seized today at the instance of L'Illustration Weekly, to which publishing Edmond Rostand has granted the exclusive right to publish his last play, "The Chanticleer," after its production on the stage. The seized papers contained a synopsis and extracts from the play.

DIPLOMATS GUESTS OF TAFT TO-NIGHT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The first of the formal state receptions of the Winter will take place at the White House tonight when the special guests of the President and Mrs. Taft will be the members of the diplomatic corps.

NEW CASINO OPENS TO TWO BIG AUDIENCES

Crowded houses attested yesterday the popularity, not only of good high-class musical burlesque, but of Charles H. Waldron, proprietor and manager of Boston's newest and handsomest burlesque theatre, the Casino, in Hanover street. That Mr. Waldron played no small part in the splendid opening was evident from the many floral tributes which adorned the lobby of the new house and the many well wishes extended to him by hundreds of his friends.

The house was sold out last night and there is a tremendous demand for every performance this week, which is in itself evidence that Mr. Waldron was not only right in his selection of a location, but also that his house policy is popular with the public. There is no smoking in the new theatre, but a magnificent smoking room has been installed and an intermission of ten minutes is granted to give all who desire to smoke an opportunity to do so.

Waldron's Casino is the largest burlesque house in the country and a splendidly appointed playhouse in every respect. The opening attraction which proved such a drawing card was Fred Irwin's "Majesties," a musical burlesque organization, which is the equal of many of the companies which play higher-class theatres. "The Americans in Paris," a two-act skit and musical review in seven scenes, is the vehicle which exploits the talents of Irwin and his company.

The whole show goes with dash and vim. It is magnificently staged and costumed. Ida Fay and Joe Hollander, the funny German comedians, have the burden of the fun and are assisted by Joe Bonner, Billy Smythe, Montgomery and Shiley, Ivy Cummings, Florence Bennett, Marie Redmond, Margaret Demorest, Edith Sterling, Bessie Whitman and Helen Gladdings. Magda Pahl, an accomplished operatic soprano, made a big hit with her numbers. There will be matinees daily.

TWO YANKEES LONG MISSING IN NICARAGUA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The State Department has under consideration the case of two Americans missing in Nicaragua and reported to have been arrested at the order of Zelaya.

According to the friends of these men, they left Greenville, Tex., and Fredericksburg, Va., respectively, to enter the employ of Cannon and Groce, the Americans with the insurgents who were shot after a drum-head court-martial, and whose execution led to the crisis in Central America.

The missing men are Len Draper, son of H. H. Draper of Greenville, Tex., and Francis Scott. They are believed to have met either death or torture. For six years Draper lived in Nicaragua, being connected with the Topia Mining Company.

For seven weeks no word has come from Draper, who left for the front after he had said he was taking no part in the revolution. Then word was received from a friend that Draper and Scott had been arrested by the order of Zelaya. A confidential search of Nicaraguan prisons has revealed no trace of the men.

Harry Caldera, vice-consul at Managua, called on Zelaya on behalf of Scott in Managua. It was thought she had gone to Bluefields, where her husband is reputed to have $20,000,000 invested.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

SEARCHLIGHT FINDS LINER IN DISTRESS

With her smokestack blown overboard, foundering about in the terrible seas at midnight, eight miles north of Thatcher's Light, the little steamboat Massasoit of the Maine Coast Line, found dramatic assistance early today.

The Massasoit is hardly more than 100 feet long and as she was barely able to make steam enough to keep steerage way, Captain T. P. Brown and his crew of ten were feeling pretty blue. Several times the little steamer seemed about to dip under a huge wave and stay there. The crew were blinded by the smoke from the broken funnel.

Then out of the darkness they saw a gleam of light. It shot to the zenith and slowly pointing round it rested on the imperilled craft. It was the searchlight of the big Bangor boat Belfast. It had been installed as an interception of ten minutes is granted to give all who desire to smoke an opportunity to do so.

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25,000 READY TO AID STRIKE OF SWITCHMEN

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 4.—The vote of the railroad employees of the Northwest is for a strike. The transportation machine of the 25 railroad companies in the country, embracing thousands of miles, will be the scene of a strife that will involve 25,000 men, President Hawley of the Switchmen's Union made this announcement:

"There will be a general strike of the organizations in the railway division of the American Federation of Labor in the Northwest this week."

Most of the returns from the strike vote in the Northwest have been received and President Hawley was fatalism with their news. He would not divulge the figures according to his information the railroads affected by the present switchmen's strike are going but one step further in their normal business and the situation of the strikers is getting from over.

"The Miners' Union at Butte has decided to keep the hands off the switchmen's strike, according to advices received here today."

FIRE RUINS THEATRE.

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Driven by a driving wind, fire today destroyed the Teck Theatre with a loss of $50,000 and the Salsy cance plant with a $10,000 loss.

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For Stout Women
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Fitted Free of Charge by Expert Fitter at
Mrs. Hastings' Corset Shop
564 Washington St.
Opp. the Adams House

FATHER RICE MADE BISHOP OF VERMONT

ROME, Jan. 4.—Upon the recommendation of the consistorial congregation, the Pope today appointed Rev. J. J. Rice, D. D., of St. Peter's, Northbridge, Mass., diocese of Springfield, to be bishop of Burlington, Vt., as successor to Bishop Michaud who died in December, 1908.

Rev. Dr. Rice is one of the ablest theologians among the younger clergy of the diocese of Springfield.

Bishop-elect Rice was born in Leicester, Worcester County, in 1869. He attended Leicester Academy and afterwards Holy Cross College, where he was graduated in 1891. He then went to Montreal Seminary, and after a theological course there proceeded to Rome, where he was a student of the American College. He was ordained at Rome in 1897. Because of his high standing in scholarship he was also given the degree of doctor of divinity.

Dr. Rice returned to the United States in 1898. He spent the following year at St. John's Seminary, Brighton, Mass., and for 11 months thereafter was assistant at St. John's Church, Northbridge, a small town about ten miles from Worcester.

The appointment of Dr. Rice to the vacant see of Burlington comprises a complete surprise to all, himself included, as his name was not even mentioned in connection with the vacant episcopate.

BIG COAL SHIPMENT.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 4.—Four million bushels of coal, the first to leave this port since the opening of navigation, left here at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the shapeliest of all fleets of a flood from the banked Ice.

POEM WHICH MORSE TOOK TO PENITENTIARY

Following is the poem "Inviting," by Percy Bradley, which Charles W. Morse learned by heart and which he took with him into the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta:

Out of the night that covers me,
Black as the pit from pole to pole,
I thank whatever gods there be
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance
I have not winced nor cried aloud;
Under the bludgeonings of fate
My head is bloody but unbowed.

It matters not how strait the gate,
How charged with punishment the scroll;
I am the master of my fate,
I am the captain of my soul.

LOW RATE EXCURSION TICKETS
To principal points in Adirondacks, January 7 to 14, inclusive. Good for 15 days. Call at 209 Washington street, Boston.

GOOD RESOLUTIONS
Cut These Out and Paste Them Up Where You Will See Them Every Day.
I will not be careless about my health.
I will never allow a cold to wear off—it wears away the lungs instead.
I will remember that a neglected cold leads to Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption, and that Consumption leads to the grave.
I will remember that Pneumonia can be prevented by taking in time Father John's Medicine.
I will remember that Father John's Medicine builds up and makes strength, at the same time cures the cold and all throat and lung troubles.

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ALARM CLOCK 50c

Double Legal Stamps will be given with every purchase mornings, until 12 o'clock noon, at Wolfe's, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets. Single stamps thereafter.

HEIRESSES OF AMERICA PERIL FOR ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Miss Ethel Arnold, sister of Mrs. Humphry Ward, who has just arrived on her second visit to this country, sees the menace of the great American fortunes brought into her country.

"To say that the American girl as member of the English landed gentry or the titled aristocracy was a menace would be ridiculous," she said. "England has been singularly fortunate in the young American women grafted upon our society, but the outpouring of this enormous wealth in a nation which has been literally tied to the soil tends to disrupt the whole social order. It is of necessity a corruption. Unlimited means give unlimited power. It has its economic reflection upon those in the same class of life without vast revenues. And it gives the man or the woman to whom it comes through an alliance possession without responsibility."

Miss Arnold had much to say of the recent visit of the King of Portugal to England in search of a wife. Miss Arnold thought the eldest daughter of the Princess Royal, now Duchess of Fife, the only matrimonial opportunity in the market, and if this was seriously considered no one was permitted to know it.

"The Princess of Connaught was adjudged 'far too old' for the lady. In the matter of religion Miss Arnold saw the immediate objection to a Portuguese-English alliance, for the British crown has felt bitterly the defiation of its daughters from the established church. Of the suffragettes she said:

"Since Mrs. Pankhurst has put off the role of the Mme. Sans-Gêne of the militant movement and assumed the red cap there is danger that every grandeur outwhile favorable to the cause will consider it inexpedient. Both Radnor and Churchill will join the ranks of the disaffected. The complaint of violence has already led votes for women in the recent Borough Council elections, where on of fifty-one candidates only five were put in."

CHURCH POOR BOXES STOLEN BY THIEVES

The South Boston police are to-day doing everything in their power to capture the thief or thieves who last night or early this morning took poor boxes from St. Vincent's Roman Catholic Church, E and Tenth streets, either a steel or tin church fund have been left open or the thieves had used skeleton keys, for the offertory had not been broken into. The Rev. Father Tryon believes it to have been the work of someparty familiar with the church building. During the past month several other South Boston churches have been entered and the poor boxes robbed.

TAYLOR, CHICOPEE'S FIRST MAYOR, DEAD

CHICOPEE, Jan. 4.—Deacon George S. Taylor, eighty-seven years old, the only man who ever occupied a municipal position as mayor of this city, is dead at his home on North street on the twentieth anniversary of his inauguration. He leaves one son, Albert E. Taylor, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles N. Lyon of this city.

ACCUSE MAN OF POISONING WIFE

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Morris Lustig, proprietor of the Lustig night patrol, a private police and detective concern, which operates in Harlem, was arrested to-day charged with having caused the death of his wife, Rinda, twenty-two years old, by giving her strychnine. Since October 20 last, when Mrs. Lustig died suddenly, there have been rumors that she had been poisoned. These rumors reached the police through a letter sent to the district attorney's office.

SAILOR, ILL, TAKES HIS LIFE BY GAS

LYNN, Jan. 4.—Medical Examiner Pinkham has reported that Archie B. Batchelder, an enlisted man in the navy who went around the world with the battleship fleet, died from "accidental coal gas asphyxiation." Worry over some matter which he kept from his relatives is thought to have led Batchelder to turn on the gas.

BEAT LANDLORD; $10.

For attacking his landlord, who is a cripple, Daniel Gilmore of No. 32 Corey street was fined $10 in the Charlestown Court to-day. The landlord, Daniel McLoughlin, went to Gilmore's home to collect the rent, and it was alleged Gilmore hit him on the head.

D. O. MILLS IS DEAD, LEAVING VAST ESTATE OF OVER $100,000,000

"The Mills twins," Countess Gonard, formerly Miss Beatrice, at right, and Miss Gladys Mills at left.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—D. O. Mills is dead at Mill Brae, his country home, on the Pacific Coast. Returning east, he closed out his interests in Buffalo, and in 1850 settled permanently in California, and established in Sacramento the financial institution of D. O. Mills & Company.

In the eighties he returned to New York. There he has been prominent in municipal affairs, in collegiate and educational work and in scientific institutions. He has been known principally for the Mills building and the two Mills Hotels for working men on the west and east side.

In 1851 Mr. Mills married Jane T. Cunningham, daughter of James Cunningham of New York. His son, Ogden Mills, is a graduate from Harvard College, in the class of 1878, and is active in the management of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Elizabeth Mills, daughter of Mr. D. O. Mills, married Whitelaw Reid, now the American Ambassador to Great Britain.

The Misses Twins," Miss Gladys and Miss Beatrice, the latter of whom married Earl Granard, are the daughters of his son and are expected to benefit greatly by their grandfather's will.

Darius O. Mills was born in Westchester County, New York, September 25, 1825. In 1841 he commenced life as a clerk in New York, but in 1847, when he was twenty-two years of age, removed to Buffalo and became cashier of a bank and partner in a business house. When gold was discovered in California in 1848, he was among those who were attracted by the prospects of the new El Dorado.

He left his home in December of that year and arrived in San Francisco in June, 1849. Engaging in business as a banker and dealer in bullion, he was financially successful before the end of the first year in California.

Returning east, he established in Sacramento the financial institution of D. O. Mills & Company, which was due to heart failure. His daughter, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, was with him at the end.

Mr. Mills is supposed to have left a fortune of at least $100,000,000.

ROMANY CHIEF IS DEAD IN ROXBURY

Hurrying to Boston, from all quarters of the United States and Canada, are bands of gypsies. They are coming to pay the last of earthly homage to he who was their sovereign and king, Richard Stanley. He lies dead at his home, No. 21 Whittier street, Roxbury, and when his mortal remains are taken from under that roof it will be to be laid away with the pomp and ceremony with which from time immemorial those of the Romany race have given their departed rulers back to earth from which they sprang.

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$18 Values	9.75
22 Values	10.50
25 Values	12.50

HACKETT'S NEW YEAR'S CARD IS A COMEDY HIT

James K. Hackett, the actor, is out with a rather novel New Year's greeting to his friends. It consists of a card whereon is printed his "Philosophy of Life" as follows:

"Did it ever occur to you that a man's life is full of crosses and temptations? He comes into the world without his consent and goes out of it against his will, and the trip between is exceedingly rocky. Lots of contraries is one of the features of the trip.

"When he is little, the big girls kiss him; when he is big, the little girls kiss him. If he is poor, he is a bad manager. If he is rich, he is a grafter. If he needs credit, he can't get it. If he is prosperous, everyone wants to do him a favor.

"If he is in politics, it is a graft; if he is out of politics he is a dub. He is a country. If he doesn't give to charity, he is close; if he does, it is for show. If he is actively religious, he is a hypocrite; if he is not, he is a scoffer. If he is a hardened sinner, if he gives afford on, he is a self-righteous prig. If he cares for no one, he is cold-blooded. If he does young, he was a great future to blow in. If he lives to an old age, he missed his calling.

"If you are unwary, you're a grouch; if you stand it, you're a toofer; if you get to be a grafter, you're a grafter. If you can't get it, you're a bum—So what the Hell's the use."

A smaller card underneath bears this message: "Notwithstanding the philosophy of life, James K. Hackett wishes you A Happy New Year."

ART CALENDAR FREE.

The Shawmut Furniture Company, Nos. 307-309 Tremont street, will soon issue for 1910 a beautiful art calendar, from the original painting by Edward Percy Moran, entitled "Then, Now and Forever," showing General Washington and Betsy Ross consulting regarding design of first American flag. The calendars are to be distributed free of charge. Your name and address on a postal card received soon.

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GAVE UP $5 PER FOR TICKETS TO FAKE BANQUET

After a hunt for a banquet of the City Hall employes, which the printed tickets stated was to be held in the County Building, and which were special broadcast at $5 a head, a number of men arrived at the conclusion that they had been duped.

So far as known, some comedian fakers worked the various municipal departments and candidates to the tune of $5 each. It is likely that a goodly sum was realized.

The first known of the swindle was when a couple of men came to the Captain Hall at police headquarters and enquired where the County Building was. The captain had never heard of such a building, but supposing that it was the Suffolk County Courthouse, directed the pair across the street.

They had been gone only a few minutes before they returned and said they had been to the courthouse, but couldn't find that they were looking for. Then the captain became inquisitive and the men dropped from pumpkin pirates to lickers to effect that the first annual banquet of the City Hall employes was to be held on January 3 in the County Building. The tickets read "Come and bring your employer." Those employed in the Municipal Printing Plant said that the tickets had been given them by their boss, Captain Hall sent an officer across to City Hall. He inquired of the janitor, the janitor of the engineer and finally of Jimmy" White, the Mayor's secretary, but could get no knowledge of any affair other than the American Ambassador to Great Britain.

Then the captain called on some of the municipal employes for information, and after a diligent search through assistants' desks and cellings was told that nothing was known of such an affair.

RUSSELL HAS BIRTHDAY; ON STAND AGAIN

Daniel Blake Russell, fighting to establish his claim to the Russell estate of Medrose as the long-lost son, resumed the witness stand to-day for the continued cross-examination after celebrating his forty-eight birthday at the Hotel Commonwealth last night. Six of his friends, including Miss Hattie Keith, his boyhood sweetheart, were present at the party last night. When he took the stand to-day, Russell returned to his cross-examiner, Attorney Nawson, and said:

"I want to ask you to be easy with me to-day, Mr. Nason. Yesterday was my birthday and I was up late last night."

Attorney Nason replied that he had every important question to ask, but he was sure that the questions on paper would make a fairly short day.

The series of questions that followed caused general laughter over the court room. Some of the questions were:

"What kind of food did you eat three years ago?"

"Did you ever have a dog more named Doley?"

"Did you ever supervise a time in Medford when during the month of February, the snow had left the ground?"

BARBER FAVORED FOR CUSTOMS COURT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Taft talked with certain of his callers about the New England vacancy on the Customs Court. He reviewed the indorsements of O. M. Barber of Readfield, Me., that of General Frank S. Streeter of Concord, N. H., and not indicate which his preference was to be.

The visitors departed with the impression that the President now favors Mr. Barber.

NOVEL DEFENCE IN $50,000 LOVE SUIT

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Henry Ashenbergher, who has business affiliations in New York, has been sued for $50,000 for breach of promise by Miss Mary Horner of Nine Lake. Miss Horner claims Wehenberger promised her that if she would marry him he would endeavor to wed her.

An unusual point in the suit is the defence of Wehenberger, who admits promising to talk of an engagement, but it was a mere supposed affair.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

FIREHOUSE MONKEY RINGS IN AN ALARM

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Soon after dress rehearsal in Company No. 22, No. 7 Amsterdam avenue, they were called sliding down the poles by the ringing of a bell on a spare engine in the rear of the station.

Miss Jennie Mack, the company's monkey mascot, was on the smokestack doing the ringing. Outside they found a big pile of newspapers ablaze.

SAYS PASTORS NO LONGER HOLD STAGE CENTRE

"Ministers are no longer the commanding centre on the stage of human action," said Rev. Dr. Lyman W. Powell, rector of St. John's Church, Northampton, today before the Episcopal ministers of this city in St. Paul's Parish House, when discussing the future of the Emmanuel movement.

"They must share their opportunity with the managing editor of a newspaper, with the actor of the most excellent type or with others. To-day, if a minister begins to preach on Sunday, they want him to conclude at least at 4:30. Not like the days when Jonathan Edwards preached, when the people heard him away into the night of the same evening.

"Church statistics will not bear the closest inspection to-day? What does the slogan of baptisms amount to?

"Keeping good people is no conclusive proof that the church is going forward. The Christian church is not receiving adequate return for the noble work that she is trying to do. The best men in our colleges are seeking the same opportunity to serve unanimity outside the church.

"Now there will always be a place for preaching, and the ministry of the church will never cease to be important than it is to-day. He will discourse upon everything he ought to know, from the moon about economics, and turn men into the spheres of secular philanthropy.

"He will co-operate with the doctor, he will advise, he will exhort, he will preach. He will pray the will keep office hours as regular as the doctor, and people will come to him, and bring their trouble to him and receive a sympathetic treatment.

"Nothing less than the cure of souls by his mission as is unfolded in the power and influence of the Emmanuel movement."

BALLOON WILL ATTACK SHIPS IN EXHIBITION

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 4.—The deadly work of the war balloon will be shown here in the coming aviation carnival when Roy Knabenshue will attack the old warship the navy vessels now lying in the harbor of San Pedro, Los Angeles port, seventeen miles away.

Aviators from all parts of the world are assembling here for "aviation week," which will begin on Monday, January 10, and every one of them is out to break records. Perry Carlton, who is still counted as the nation's supremacy, every form of aerial flight will be represented.

Louis Paulhan, the Frenchman who holds the world's record for high flying, and his wife, will take part in the session. Glen Curtiss, Count de Lesseps, Glenn Curtiss's manager, Charles K. Hamilton, who made history in the United States Circuit Court at Buffalo, N. Y., when he won a decision from judges on the Wright Brothers' patents, he declared, in a way to avoid Glenn Curtiss's exhibits here.

The city of Los Angeles has bought the great balloon formerly owned by C. A. Seely, the Chicago millionaire, which, under the name of "Los Angeles," will participate in the balloon races.

ASK CONGRESS TO FIX BLAME OF HIGH PRICES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Representative Tull of Tennessee introduced in the House to-day a concurrent resolution providing for congressional investigation as to the increased cost of fuel. A preamble states that during the last twelve months the price of commodities has increased from 11 to 20 per cent., that the increase in wages has not kept pace and that millions of people are suffering in consequence. To-day food and clothing consistent with their urgent needs consume of these high prices.

There is no reasonable explanation to charges that the recent tariff legislation has operated to increase existing factors; that there is an absence of competition; that the American Sugar Company is selling sugar at 2 cents per pound more in the United States than it is selling abroad.

It charges further that the prices of cotton, wool and of many goods has been arbitrarily increased and that the price of meat has been raised on the small meat and a profit of more than 25 per cent. on its capital stock made in one year. The prices of most of the necessaries of life, on which protective duties have been raised, are the highest in the history of prices. It is declared.

The resolution authorizes the appointment of a committee consisting of seven members of the House and five members of the Senate to "To investigate and ascertain particularly the cause or causes of trusts and combinations, the increased volume of money, the increased circulation, the increase of deposits, the supply and issuance of government bonds, the effect of the gold dollar on said upon prices, and also to investigate the effect, if any, to which existing tariff rates have in any other way affected the prices of the necessaries necessary to suppressing or unlawfully interfering with competition.

EXPECT SENSATIONS IN PINCHOT PROBE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 4.—Overshadowing all other matters of official and general interest at the national capital now is the forthcoming investigation into the Interior Department and the Forest Service by the Senate Committee on Public Lands, of Pinchot controversy. Revelations that will equal the greatest sensations that Washington has known for years are predicted as the committee sifts to the side issues of the administration, and it is intimated that accusations are contemplated for more than one member of President Taft's official family.

HERE'S A NEW ONE, WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Senator Nelson, who will be much in the public eye as head of the joint committee to investigate the Baltimore Fire[illegible] campus, recently received a draft of a bill from a man out of citizen of his own State—Minnesota. He didn't like the bill, in any way, so he wrote the man:

"It will take so long to get your bill through Congress as it will for a rattlehold dog to catch an asbestos rabbit in Dakota."

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FITZGERALDISM

Example No. 8, 1906-7

Henry Fitzgerald, Assistant Mayor

Fitzgeraldism took two Fitzgeralds, Brother John and Brother Henry.

Brother Henry was awfully busy during those years, 1906 and 1907.

Brother John seemed to find him very useful.

Brother Henry was always running here or running there to see this man or that man who wanted to do business with Brother John's administration.

Here is a sample of what Brother Henry was so busy about:

We will take the Welch stone crushing contract:

Before John was mayor, Thomas F. Welch, a contractor, supplied the city with crushed stone at 90 cents a ton.

After John had been mayor for a while Welch sold the city crushed stone at $1.80 a ton—just two prices.

Welch testified that he became acquainted with Brother Henry during the campaign of 1905, and threw his support to Brother John.

As soon as John was in the mayor's chair, Welch called on James H. Doyle, superintendent of Brother John's street department, and asked for the right to sell crushed stone to the city in the West Roxbury district. Doyle's heart was cold. He gave Welch no encouragement.

Welch then went to "SEE" Brother Henry. This is Welch's testimony:

Q. Did you see anybody besides Doyle?
A. Yes.
Q. Whom else?
A. Henry Fitzgerald.
Q. What did you say to him?
A. I saw Mr. Doyle maybe three or four times, but I was not succeeding very well, and finally I went to Henry Fitzgerald to ask him if he would not see Mr. Doyle for me.
Q. What was done by Henry Fitzgerald?
A. I don't know. The result was I got the crusher.
Q. How did you happen to ask Henry Fitzgerald? Did he know anything about crushers?
A. He did when I told him about it.
Q. Did he know anything so far as you know except what he learned from you about crushers?
A. I don't know.
Q. How did you happen to go to Henry Fitzgerald?
A. Well, because I thought he might have some influence.
Q. With whom?
A. Well, with the administration?
Q. With what part of the administration?
A. Whichever might be able to grant it. I don't know any part——
Q. Then, is that the best answer you can make to that, Mr. Welch?
A. That is the only answer."

On April 2, 1907, Welch got another stone contract from Brother John, OF COURSE WITHOUT COMPETITION. Brother John, although the engineer of the Street Department, James H. Sullivan, opposed it, and even though Superintendent James H Doyle opposed it, agreed at the expense of the City, that in order to give Welch this contract the City would transfer the crushing plant from the Kenney ledge to the Welch lot on Grove Street, a distance of about seven miles.

It might be mentioned that this contract did not require the City to make the repairs to this crushing plant. The City, however, did make the repairs, but this is a small thing for Fitzgeraldism.

Here is what James H. Doyle, Brother John's Superintendent of Streets, testified about this:

"Q. Why, under the circumstances which you have stated, and against the advice of the engineer, did you award this contract?
A. My answer to that would be I should have thought politics governed me largely.
Q. And politics as represented by what individual?
A. By Mr. Welch.
Q. Any other?
A. Why, the recommendations he had received.
Q. Who recommendations?
A. Well, from Mr. Fitzgerald.
Q. What Fitzgerald?
A. Henry Fitzgerald."

When Welch had received a payment on this contract from the City he would draw a check the next day.

He did not make these checks payable to anybody in particular, but to his own order so he could turn them into cash.

These cash payments by Welch amounted to $6500, and although Welch kept a ledger, a pass-book and a check-book, none of these books showed what Welch did with this money.

Welch claimed he did not remember the names of the persons to whom these sums were paid.

He thought the money from one of his checks for $500 was given to the Democratic City Committee.

He thought the amount included money given to Philip McGonagle, Councilman from Brother John's Ward 6, where Brother Henry was then living, and of which Brother Henry was then the "BOSS."

At one time $1185 was drawn by Welch and turned into cash by being made payable to his own order, against a deposit of a City check received by him from the city for $1342.22, dated December 1, 1906.

Welch stated that $685 out of this $1185 was used for his payrolls.

On the stub of the check-book there is an entry opposite this check which reads, "DREW H. F., $500."

Welch couldn't remember who got this $500.

Welch claimed he had no positive recollection.

Finally he stated that he believed his clerk intended to put down his own initials, "T. F.," but by mistake had written "H. F." instead.

All sorts of people were told to "SEE" Brother Henry when Brother John was too busy and didn't want to trust anybody outside the family.

The fact is, as I have said, Henry was awfully busy—he was about as busy as John.

I invite John F. Fitzgerald to tell the voters what Brother Henry was so busy about.

JAMES J. STORROW

417 Beacon Street.

DEFY INDIANA GOVERNOR TO END GAMBLING

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Preparing for a finish fight, but only with Governor Marshall of Indiana, but with Chief Steward of Chicago as well, Mont Tennes and Tom McGinnis, sidetime foes, have buried the hatchet and to-day joined forces in a fight to restart interference with gambling. Troops may be called out in the great gambling war that is imminent.

Governor Marshall, commenting on a report that emissaries of the gamblers would spill money into the state campaign in Indiana, said to-day that he would welcome them and that he would be glad to have them be instituted by the state authorities if any irregularities should be subject to him or with evidence.

It is understood in Indianapolis that the expensive promised by the Chicago gamblers have to do with Indianapolis' West Baden and French Lick Springs. The Governor has retained S. L. Bash of Hammond to represent him in the matter of all funds to combat a pool room at Clark Station, Ind.

Two hundred Pinkertonites have been employed to make a counter break in the loop district, and if they are driven out of Clark station by Governor Marshall Tennes and McGinnis propose to defy Chief Stewart and combat the operations in Chicago.

Emil Witte declared that the wireless apparatus to be operated at Clark station has been ordered from New York and will be immediately erected by Friday of this week. The gamblers hope to open the alleged poolroom on Friday.

Governor Marshall replied in reply that he would identify himself with the plan erected, and that he would not permit any pool rooms, wireless or otherwise, to be conducted in Indiana.

NO MEN HERE TO TAKE JOBS

"There are fewer unemployed men in Boston than in any other city in the country," is the declaration made by George A. Parnell.

The statement was brought about through the effort of Mr. Parnell to secure at once 200 men for good jobs in the white lumber camps.

"Boston," said Mr. Parnell, discouraged, "is the few who find unlicensed advertisements for the jobs. I don't believe I will get that number. The fact is that the work pays well, and it is by no means an uncomfortable one.

"In past years we have been scores of men to a single job, and it has not been easy even to get employment, but there seems to be a very decided wave of prosperity, at least in Boston."

STEAL SUITS IN BACK BAY

The Back Bay police are searching for burglars who broke open the safe in the cloaks worth $1,000 from the tailor shop of H. Jackson at No. 64 Huntington avenue. Entrance was gained by cutting a big trap door at the rear of the tailor shop.

The stolen clothes consisted of expensive custom made dress suits, opera cloaks, business suits and overcoats. Only a few suits to be pressed.

A staff consisting of Secret Service officer Bennett is among the stolen property. Special Officers O'Neil and Murphy of the Back Bay station are investigating.

SILENT WORSHIP FOR MIDDIES NOW

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—The middies at the Naval Academy may hereafter participate in religious services which shall be conducted in silence, such is the latest suggestion growing out of the new chapel of the academy, now being completed and built on dimensions and of architectural style quite beyond the modest title of "chapel."

TRAIN CREW SLEUTHS NAB CAR THIEVES

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The Boston express on the New Haven road has a train crew of veritable Sherlock Holmeses. As a result, two New Haven pickpockets are in the Stamford jail and Miss Emma L. Goldsmith, of Freehold, N. J., has recovered a stolen pocketbook.

Miss Goldsmith was robbed of her purse as she boarded the train at New Haven. She complained to the conductor, K. H. Lockwood, who realized the possibility of the thieves being on board. Then strangers Jones Sullivan saw a man near a railroad detective into small bits and throw them on the floor.

Mr. Sleuth-Conductor picked up the pieces and Mr. South-Raggers put them together until they spelled New York for Freehold. The Sherlock Holmeses then took turns in watching the suspects, the suspect, who later gave his name as Michael Price, New Haven, slipped a five-dollar gold piece into his shoe. Charles Gold of New Haven tried to throw a purse from the train. Miss Goldsmith identified purse, gold piece and ticket as articles stolen from her bag.

When the express stopped outside of Stamford to change to an electric engine Conductor Lockwood telephoned for detectives and the train was held at the station until two arrived in a patrol wagon and yanked Price and Gold out of the smoking car.

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SAVE SAILORS IN HURRICANE

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 4.—Further disasters are recorded daily as a result of the hurricane that recently swept the Bermudan zone. The name of another ship was added to the roster of those lost when the crew of the bark Crown arrived here on the British steamer Kilsyth. The crew to-day told a story of terrible hardship.

On December 11 the Crown, with a cargo of lumber, sailed from Pushet Wedge, N. C., for Bahia Blanca. Soon after leaving port she ran into bad weather, which continued with increasing violence for days. Crown became unmanageable and waterlogged. Huge seas tore part of her deck cargo away and the rest shifted, capsizing the brigantine. In the height of a hurricane the crew were compelled to take to the boats, which drifted 200 miles east of Bermuda. After great suffering the men were picked up by the Kilsyth.

HUSBAND SLAIN AND WIFE SHOT

LEOMINSTER, Jan. 4.—Adolf Mattis, a Finn, was arraigned in the district court to-day charged with the murder of his brother Alfonso. The shooting took place at the latter's home, No. 8 Carter street early to-day and it is said is the result of a family feud.

While trying to protect her husband Mrs. Mattis alone had a thumb shot off in the struggle.

Adolf is committed and lives at No. 57 Federal street. He is the local who gained entrance to his brother's house by breaking down a door.

Adolf was fined under a heavy guard, it was feared that he might attempt suicide in his cell. He claims that he acted in self-defence.

WALTHAM WATCH FACTORY REOPENS

WALTHAM, Jan. 4.—Four thousand persons returned to work to-day after a week's idleness by the Waltham Watch Company's factory which has been rebuilt. The factory closed on December 24 on account of a business depression.

WAITRESS WHO HAD PART IN REFORMING RESTAURANT THIEF

MISS LILLIAN B. DRAKE

ANDREE SLAIN ON WAY BACK FROM POLE?

PRINCE ALBERT, Saskatchewan, Jan. 4.—Eskimo Indians are reported to have found a balloon 900 miles north of this city, near Reindeer Lake, in the Arctic circle, and many are of the opinion that the "large white house covered with ropes which fell from the heavens," as described by the Indians, is the balloon in which Explorer Andree, accompanied by two companions, Drs. S. F. Strindberg and Herr Franckzell, sailed in quest of the Pole over twelve years ago.

Rev. Dr. Turquetil, the missionary in charge of the Northern Saskatchewan and the Mackenzie River district, brought in the news of discovery.

The natives were greatly interested in the balloon, declaring that "That looks like the thing that white man had," said one of the Eskimos in his own language to his companions.

"Yes," returned the other.

"What white man?" inquired Turquetil, becoming interested.

The Indians handed back the gun and drew away, refusing to speak of the white men. But the Clippaymuns again talked with them and found out as best they could information about the mysterious men who had been seen. They were told of "a white house and fallen from the sky," that it was covered with ropes and that three men were in it.

They also told where the house had fallen, adding that the men were very hungry, had died shortly after their arrival. The Eskimos had used the ropes and were still using them in padding their canoes and fixing their tents.

All the time they appeared not at all anxious to speak of their former visitors.

Dr. Turquetil, in relating his story here, said he heard the white men had also some deer or other animals after arriving, and the Eskimos became angry, killing them. The natives claim all animals in their reserve.

It is believed here that the balloon was that of Andree. Whether or not the explorers had reached the Pole and were returning is not known. Records of the trip may yet be discovered among the Indians.

CALLS MOSES THE STAR JOURNALIST

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 4.—Addressing the Midwest Alliance of Kansas on "The Faith of a Journalist," Walter Williams, dean of the school of journalism at Missouri University, spoke of the solidarity of the Bible to the modern newspaper.

"The best journalist with whose work I am acquainted," said Mr. Williams, "was Moses. He was the first great editor.

"In one of the five books Moses edited the great editor gave more criminal news, and that more graphically, than today's newspapers would dare—for example, the reports of the disobedience of Adam, the drunkenness of Noah, the falsehoods of Abraham and the iniquity of the city of Sodom."

GREAT MINE WAR LOOMING AT BUTTE

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 4.—Peace or war between the Amalgamated Copper Company and its employes hangs in the balance. A meeting was called for to-night by the union following the announcement by President Ryan of the company that the union men need fill the unexpired enlistments of scabherds, the Rev. Frank Shinkel, pastor of a local church, is to forward sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday evening next. He is to speak upon his new associate in Whitman on the evening of December 29.

It is making house-to-house visits among his parishioners, and the town people.

CALL MONEY STILL UP TO 8 PER CENT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Call money was quoted at 8 per cent bid, ten per cent asked, on the stock exchange today. Comparatively few loans were made, the disposition being to defer operations against that rates would lower considerably by the end of the week. A flow of funds is now from the interior and the early return to circulation of the amounts segregated to meet the January dividend and interest disbursements are jointly expected to result in at least a six per cent. rate within a few days.

DAUGHTERS OF 1812 MEET FOR DINNER

"My Russian Journey" was the subject of a paper read by Mrs. S. W. Vinson at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Society, Daughters of 1812, at the Lenox today. Dinner was served and plans for giving the Naval Branch of the U. S. C. A. in Charlestown support were discussed. Among those present were Mrs. Benj. V. Titus, Mrs. W. H. Allins, Mrs. E. H. Burton, Mrs. F. E. Tilden, Mrs. F. D. Ward, Mrs. F. E. Emery, Mrs. Sarah Foster, Mrs. G. C. Faden and Mrs. E. H. Crosby.

REMORSE OVER THEFT BRINGS ABOUT REFORM

"I say unto you that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance."—Luke XV.

After repenting the theft of a $2 bill from a South End cafe in broad daylight, a man not only returned the money in a letter to the proprietor, but declared that he would give up drinking and mend his ways.

Three weeks ago a thin, emaciated man walked into the cafe owned by Eugene C. Trask, corner of Berkeley and Appleton streets, in the South End.

"I want a decent meal to take out," the man told Miss Lillian B. Drake, the young woman in charge. Miss Drake, who was alone at the time, went to the rear of the restaurant to order the steak.

The cash register rang, and as she turned, Miss Drake saw the man pressing down the key and grab the bill. When she shouted, he ran from the store, in the direction of Columbus avenue, and was lost in the noon-day crowd.

The police were notified, but they were unsuccessful in their hunt for the man.

Now Mr. Trask has received the following letter:

Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find the $2.00 which I took from you without asking about three weeks ago. I was crazy for drink and didn't realize what I was doing. I shall never drink again. I am not a crook. Hope you will forgive.

There was no signature, but both Mr. Trask and Miss Drake have forgiven him.

"I'm so glad that we didn't find the man who took the money and that he won't be prosecuted, and so is Mr. Trask," said Miss Drake to-day. "The man has won back his self-respect and his conscience."

"The stealing of the money did more than a dozen sermons might have accomplished for that man. The letter came as a great surprise to us. We had given up all hope of ever hearing from the man.

"Mr. Trask is going to have the letter and the envelope it was enclosed in framed and we shall have them no doubt on the wall. This was a most unusual experience."

BROWN NOT ALARMED BY TAFT'S MESSAGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Declaring that in his opinion President Taft's interstate commerce recommendations embodied in the forthcoming message need cause no apprehension to the railroads or the investing public, President W. C. Brown of the New York Central returned to his office to-day after one of the most important periods he has ever experienced. He had just finished a conference with President Taft on the message.

"The proposed bill will work no injury to the railroads," said Mr. Brown, "and I know pretty well the terms of the administration bill. I can say that it will not be the least embarrassing to railroad that desires to conduct its business in a straightforward manner."

TAFT IS GUEST AT BIG CHARITY DANCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Taft was a spectator at the annual charity ball given here last night. Many cabinet officers were present as well as a number of members of the diplomatic corps. Among those presented to the President in his box was Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, president of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

BLAME SWITCHMAN FOR FATAL WRECK

General Manager Frank Barr of the Boston & Maine Railroad said that a switchman, whose name was withheld, was responsible for the collision between a freight train and a freight locomotive at Prison Point, early Sunday morning, which resulted in the death of Colby D. Harmon, a fireman, and serious injury to Phineas P. Currier.

Three Hair Specialists.

Three of the leading authorities on the scalp and hair are Woods Hutchinson, M. D., and Dr. J. C. Bayles of New York, and Dr. Lasser of Germany. It is remarkable that all three agree absolutely that the first and foremost thing to do in treating hair and scalp troubles is to keep the head clean by frequent washing. Dr. Lassar says that the first step in treating dandruff, Rehinx scalp and falling hair is to keep the scalp clean by washing. Woods Hutchinson, M. D., says: "The main hope of stopping the advance of baldness lies in the direction of improving the general health and vigor, while at the same time keeping the scalp and hair in a clean, antiseptic, well-ventilated condition. Avoid using too strong soaps, strong alkalis, such as ammonia and soda, and too hot water, as all of these take out too much of the natural lubricant, or oil, of the hair, and leave it dry and harsh." Dr. J. C. Bayles says: "The only thing the layman can do to avert baldness is to keep the head clean and cool." Modern thought is all in the direction of cleanliness. Falling hair, itching scalp and dandruff cannot be cured by fake tonics, renewers, growers and restorators. The only sure way to benefit the hair and scalp is to keep them clean and free from dust and germ life and not to use for this purpose Birt's Head Wash, the new scientific preparation, is most highly recommended because it is made of Refined Soap, White of Eggs, Cochin Cocoanut Oil, Glycerine and Salicylic Acid. Ask your doctor about it.

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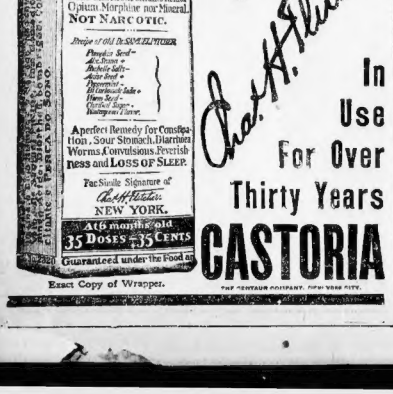
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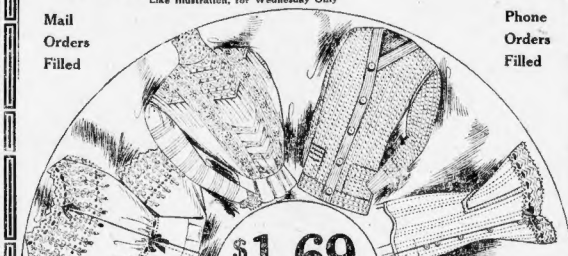

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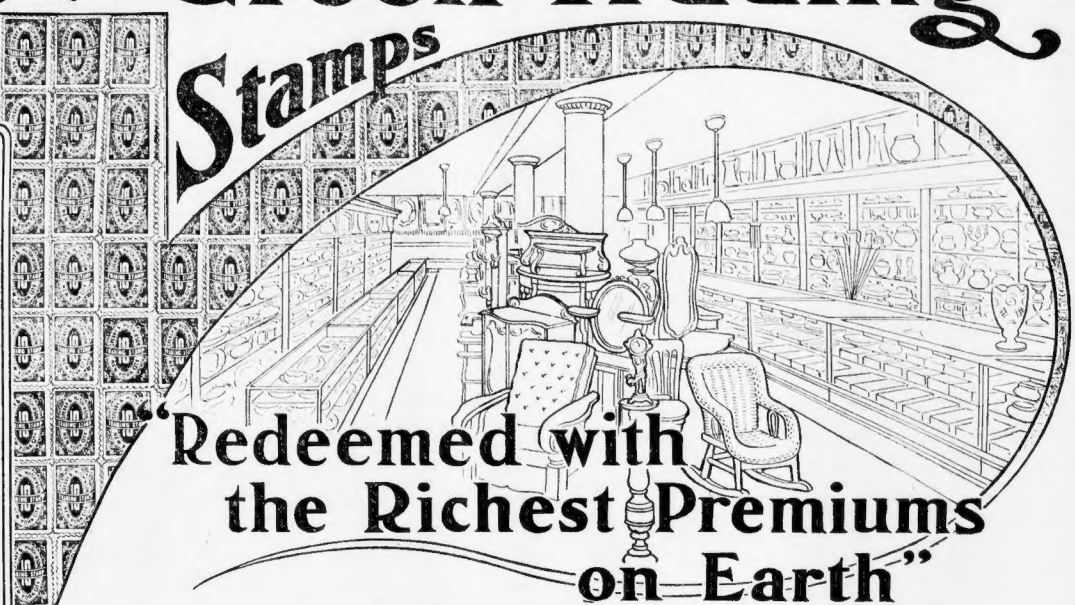

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FITZGERALD OUTLINES "CONSTRUCTIVE WORK OF MY PUBLIC LIFE"

In one of the most important of his public utterances in the campaign, John F. Fitzgerald last night gave to the public what he called "the constructive work of my public life." The AMERICAN has heretofore given wide publicity to the "constructive and progressive policies" for the future outlined by the candidate. Here follows the statement made by Mr. Fitzgerald last evening:

Tells of Economy While Mayor.

"I now proceed to the constructive work of my public life.

"For the four years previous to my administration the average annual increase of the city debt amounted to $1,296,012.88. While I was Mayor the average increase was but $1,852,000.00, less than half.

"I was the first Mayor to refrain from appropriating the full amount of money appropriated for the sinking fund. The city owes $30,000 in two years; the city Mayor has saved from the sinking fund operations a portion of the cost of the rapid construction of bridges. In this and in this way there was secured from the Boston Elevated Railway Company and the Old Colony Railroad Company more than $700,000.

"Secured a change in the law which taxed Boston for her water supply on valuation only rather than upon valuation and consumption, thus saving the city $150,000.

"Secured the repeal of the law permitting Boston to borrow money to pay sinking fund and interest requirements. For the six years prior to my taking office Boston borrowed more than $3,000,000 to pay interest and sinking fund charges.

"Secured $250,000 for the sale of a part of Deer Island which, under unfavorable conditions were willing to give away without a return.

"Secured a rebate from the Edison Electric Light Company amounting to three-fifths of double a contract which had been running more than seven years. Mayor Matthews was the first arbitrator in this matter a few years ago and he signally failed in getting one dollar for the city.

Beacon Street Taxes.

"Secured legislation taking owners of Beacon street property for betterment on account of the Charles river basin, which Mr. Matthews and Mr. Storrow worked through the legislature without betterments, though the property entitling was increased millions in value, which every other citizen of Boston had to pay.

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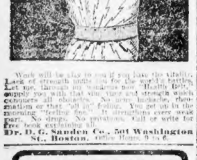

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FORMER MAYOR FITZGERALD

From a Recent Photograph.

HON. JOHN F. FITZGERALD

cities and towns, the municipalization of public utilities.

Voted against order permitting the N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Company to control Massachusetts companies. Voted for the appointment of steam railroad inspectors in the interests of safety for traveling public and railroad employes. Voted for bill to equip the viaduct of the Boston Elevated Railway franchise. Voted against the Bell telephone grab.

While in Common Council.

"I began public life in the Boston Common Council in 1892. The following is

News Notes of Partyless Politics

Just a week from to-day and then the real people in politics will have something to say.

Somebody plastered the outside of the blacksmith's shop of A. S. Parker Weeks, a Fitzgerald leader, with Keough cards and Parker cards last week. I will get another vote for Fitzgerald for every placard they stick on my shop door.

The East Boston embryo poets got busy when they found that Alderman Giblin had second place on the ballot for Mayor. It was shouted at the East Boston rallies in better metal to the presiding officer than two: That's Tom Giblin; he's true blue."

Chairman Montague of the Republican City Committee is right on the front seat of the Storrow bond wagon. It's something never seen in a city campaign, the presence of the chairman of both the leading party committees, working together for the same candidate for Mayor.

Nine out of every ten presiding officers introduce the candidates as the "next Mayor." The political writers who follow around the candidates have voted to give a better medal to the presiding officer introducing the introductory speech that is most original.

Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald's brother "Jim" bears a striking resemblance to Storrow. He is about as close to 100,000 votes for Mayor. "Hello, Jim Storrow," said a South Boston resident to Jim Fitzgerald.

Fitzgerald's managers still claim a total majority and declare that the ex-Mayor will be elected by 5000 votes. In the days of the campaign go by. The managers of Fitzgerald's campaign are beginning to realize that they are estimating the probable total vote by the size of their own hearts.

Somebody suggested that David A. Ellis surrender first place on the ballot for the school committee candidates to the lady, Mrs. Julia E. Duff, of the growing yesterday. "You know ladies should be remembered on days of Mrs. Duff's appearance," replied Ellis's retort.

Fitzgerald is accompanied by ex-Councilman McLeod on Ward 12 in making the rounds of the different rallies. McLeod carries a loose leaf book of Abercrombie & Fitch's stock and looks to Fitzgerald after each speech as much as to say: "Did you mention my men and all that?" certainly does his work well. That accounts for Fitzgerald's popularity.

Former Councilman Maynard of Ward 8 keeps tabs on Fitzgerald's rallies in Ward 8. Whenever Fitzgerald's ear gets before he speaks and whispers "something of importance." Fitzgerald nods assent and that the whispering has something to do with the ex-Mayor's speech. Maynard is among the same evening in another portion of the city.

Councilman Frank Goodwin isn't a bit upset down because the City Council voted to give him one more than he was when the Citizens' Municipal League refused to nominate him, and as close to 100,000 Goodwin. "The self-constituted reformers who are uplifting communities will step hand in order to make easier the robbing of it by the unjust."

"Oh, lucky Jim, how I envy him," is the way Tom Keough speaks of Alderman Jim Donovan's trades in the caucuses on Ward 17 yesterday. "It's a bad omen to be at the top of the ballot," says Keough. "The Bible says the first shall be last and the last shall be first."

Since its organization the Good Government Association has failed to elect any one of the candidates for the City Council whom it has endorsed, be being James A. Gallivan in 1908. Gallivan defeated Commissioner Beacon Moore of Ward 11 has made a 820 prayer that it will not do the record and elect its six candidates on next Tuesday, and Legislator-elect Michael J. Scully of Ward 2 says they won't.

The staff of the city messenger's office held an everybody who tried to attend the drawing for places on the ballot except the candidates or their representatives. Whom do you represent? Deputy City Messenger Sullivan asked Street Commissioner Gallivan. "The license question," replied Gallivan. Sullivan let Jim pass, and ten minutes later, after thinking it over, he discovered that the license question was not figured in the drawing.

Dr. Santosuosso of Ward 8 is winning a reputation for his versatility as a platform speaker in behalf of Storrow. The doctor, who is also a lawyer, like Fitzgerald's adopted brand to a crisp. The other night he initiated Fitzgerald making a speech with the Gorgilloss of humor. Fitzgerald and the doctor's mannerisms were typical of the Italian race. "He's a natural born at the speech," said an Anti-Fitzmaynite of Ward 17.

Dr. Willis Edwin Crowell, formerly of Hyannis, a former member of the Tomahawk Club of Ward 17, has called off an open-air rally scheduled in front of his house on Dudley street for Fitzgerald. "I don't want a repetition of what took place in front of Mr. W. P. Brown's house few days ago in the street," said Dr. Crowell. "If you actually want to speak in the open air on 'each desire the Ward 17 playground is big enough for him."

Herman Hoegel is "it" at the Storrow headquarters when it comes right down to things political or political estimates. Hoegel is the active secretary of the Republican City Committee certainly the right man in the right place. When Fitzgerald was years ago," says Hoegel, with the confidence of Dunstable, "without the assistance of Democrats of Republicans, he was elected by 10,000 votes. Storrow in every ward, and prominent Democrats and Republicans of the highest service that will come out as never before for a candidate for Mayor. I believe a defeat for Storrow is impossible."

Lawrence Porter, nineteen years old, of 1 Ruggles street, Ward 17, a member of the South Club, has composed a song in favor of Storrow. The Storrow Campaign League candidate for the Common Council from Ward 17 in the time of "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnet." It goes:

"A thousand cheers for Storrow,
The man for some wood knows,
While he sits in the Mayor's chair
We'll have four years of glory
And Storrow could be a lover
After inauguration day."

"The AMERICAN has the evening home field in Boston exclusively."—Advertisers' Magazine.

BIG DECREASE IN THE CITY PAYROLLS

Mayor Hibbard reduced the payrolls of the city of Boston $241,736.45 in 1909, over the figures for 1908, according to the monthly report for December made public by City Treasurer Edward M. Rollins yesterday. The figures for the twelve months of 1909 show $17,609,359.55 as the total of 1909 were $17,418,823.05. There was a decrease of $190,536.50 in the payrolls of departments for December, 1909, over the figures for December, 1908. The figures for 1907 were $17,082,475.02 and in 1908 $17,084,589.18.

GAYNOR AGAIN CUTS TAMMANY

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Another plum got away from Tammany to-day. Samuel Parsons, for twenty-eight years landscape architect for the department of parks, was appointed consulting park commissioner for Manhattan and Richmond. Mayor Gaynor's action is the direct effect Commissioner Hebbs had refused to take the job.

BIG PAYROLLS TELL TRADE PROSPERITY

PITTSBURG, Jan. 4.—There are more persons on the payrolls of the Westinghouse Electric Works and the Westinghouse Machine Company than at any previous time in the last five years. When the special holiday pay was distributed there were 50,000 persons on the rolls and more have been engaged at the rate of from 30 to 125 daily.

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STORROW GIVES SOME PLEDGES TO THE MEN IN EMPLOY OF CITY

James J. Storrow has given to the voters some specific pledges. He made them at the end of his speech last evening, and they were received with marks of appreciation. Mr. Storrow said that he wanted to define in a general way his attitude toward city employes. He made his statement concise, so that there could possibly be no misunderstanding about his position. Here follow Mr. Storrow's pledges:

Loyal to Men and Loyal to City.

First—I do not expect to discharge city employes who are loyal to the city. I shall be loyal to the city myself, and the employe who is also loyal need have no fear of me.

Second—I shall, through a merit system, try to open to all diligent and capable city employes an avenue of promotion. I shall not jump in omnibuses and put over them men poorer in the employ of the city unless I am honestly satisfied there is no one in the department capable of filling the position.

Third—I shall not discharge elderly men who have grown old in faithful service to the city.

Fourth—I shall take up the pension question and try to solve it. I did this in the school department during the very same years that John F. Fitzgerald was dodging the question at City Hall.

Fifth—I shall not hand out gift contracts right and left, and so give to a favored few money that ought to be used in employing honest labor and giving the city cheaper paving, sewer, or some other service in return.

Sixth—Under any administration there will be no assessment of city employes, and no city employe need feel obliged to pay dues to any political club unless he wants to. Nothing will happen to his job if he refuses.

Seventh—I shall try to give day labor a fair chance, with the hope that the amount of work done by day labor can be substantially increased. My success in this direction will be wholly in the hands of the day laborers themselves. If they are loyal to the city I shall be loyal to

FREIGHT RATE PACT.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 4.Freight managers of the various North Atlantic steamship lines to-day agreed on a minimum freight tariff.

ELLIS URGES TRADE SCHOOL FOR THE GIRLS

David A. Ellis confined his campaign for re-election to the School Board last night to Wards 1, 3, 20 and 24. He spoke in Boulevard Hall, East Boston; at the Jefferson Club, East street, Dorchester, and at Library Building, Codman square, Dorchester.

"The great majority of girls who go to our schools must look forward to earning their own living," said Mr. Ellis, among other things, "and it is not right that the education they receive in the public schools should be of so little assistance to them.

"The School Board owes it to the girls as well as to the boys to give them more than general studies. It should give to the girl that which will make her more valuable to an employer than a girl of equal age who has been a non-attendant.

"The most conspicuous example of what we have tried to do in this way is the trade school for girls established this year at No. 629 Massachusetts avenue. The object of this school is to aid girls in making themselves self-supporting.

"A term in this school is but one year, and besides the academic studies the pupil secures one trade. If she chooses dressmaking she is given practical work, if she chooses millinery she is given a thorough course in that. If she chooses to become a factory machine operator she is given practice on machines which give her an opportunity to become very

MORGAN GIFT TO TRINITY

HARTFORD, Ct., Jan. 4.—It has been made known that the New Yorker who contributed $100,000 to the Trinity College endowment fund of $500,000 was J. Pierpont Morgan.

Rallies To-night

FOR STORROW.

Ward 10, Huntington Chambers Hall, 50 Huntington av.; Ward 12, Hotel Langham; Ward 18, Roseath Hall, 1095 Tremont st.; Ward 20, Norfolk Hall, Washington and Bowdoin sts.; Ward 23, Warren Hall, Brighton. Speakers, Storrow, Ballantine, Noble, Goodwin, Grant, Peters, Hale, Coulthurst, Walsh, Attridge, Ham, Kellher, Ellis, Lane, Cushing, Kenny, Montague, Cox, McManus, Brand, Collins, Stone, Santosuosso, McLean, Woods.

FOR FITZGERALD.

House meeting, D. M. Biggs, No. 90 March st., Ward 24; Urbane Club, No. 375 Neponset av., Ward 24; house meeting, H. F. Price, No. 56 Dix st., Ward 24; wardroom, Meeting House Hill, Ward 20; Hendries Hall, Talbot av., Ward 20; Democratic headquarters, No. 276 Blue Hill av., Ward 16; house party, W. J. Fitzgerald, No. 3 Monadnock st., Ward 16; Polish Hall, Andrew Square, Ward 15; Court House, Dorchester st., Ward 13; Bay View Hall, No. 40 Bay View st., Ward 14. Speakers, Fitzgerald, O'Connell, Kennedy, Murray, Mansfield, Douglass, Hayes, Coyle, Murtey, Hannifan, Quinn, Jr., Ward Connor, McSeane, Quirk, Teeling, Hickey, Scannell, Higgins, Driscoll, Mayniham, Kavanaugh, Cushing, Driscoll, Murphy, Carroll, Corcoran, Jennings, O'Brien, Sullivan, Reidy, Watson, Shaw, McGivern, Riley, Moriarty, Kenney, McGrady, Conley, Conley, Clancy, Harrington, Lane, Bradley, Colpoys, Collins.

FOR HIBBARD.

Washington Hall, Codman square, Ward 24; Odd Fellows' Hall, Dorchester Lower Mills, Ward 24. Speakers, Hibbard, Hibbard, Kellher, Crane, Martin, Cook and Wharton.

FOR TAYLOR.

Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, American House; South Boston Citizens' Association, Old Harmonia Hall, E st. Speaker, Taylor.

KLOUS' ATTORNEY OBJECTS TO "ADS"

James J. Storrow has received a letter from Francis J. Carney, counsel for Maurice H. Klous, taking exceptions to political advertisements published over the signature of Mr. Klous. Mr. Carney contends that a great injustice has been done his client, and that Mr. Storrow's advertisements are misleading and prejudicial to Klous's interests. He says: "While I do not desire to interfere with you in any manner in the conduct of your political campaign or in the methods or practice adopted to make upon Mr. Fitzgerald, yet I do desire to request that you exercise your judgment to prevent misleading to the merits of the Klous case in the newspaper advertisements you endeavor to take care of that when the time comes for it."

RIGID LIQUOR WATCH ORDERED IN LYNN

LYNN, Jan. 4.—In orders issued to-day to the Lynn police, Chief Borden says every officer will be held personally responsible for any liquor law violations on his beat. The penalty for any neglect of duty on the part of a watch will mean the officer's job, the chief says.

FITZGERALD RALLIES TONIGHT

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4th.

Court House, Dorchester Street, Ward 15.

Polish Hall, Andrew Sq., Ward 16.

Democratic Headquarters, 276 Blue Hill Avenue, Ward 16.

Hendrie's Hall, Talbot Avenue, Ward 20.

Wardroom, Meeting House Hill, Ward 20.

Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald cannot spend thousands of dollars each day for full-page advertisements in the newspapers, on the billboards and in the subways, but he can tell the real facts in man-to-man fashion to the voters who attend the rallies. Thousands of voters have already heard Fitzgerald personally present the true story of the issues at stake. All voters are invited to attend the rallies tonight and for the remainder of the campaign.

Come and hear him. That is all he asks.

Morris Morrison, 847 Blue Hill Ave.

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GOOD GOVERNMENT

As we approach the close of the greatest campaign ever waged by the people of Boston for the preservation of their rights, I wish to point out a few of the dangers that confront the city.

In 1908 Mr. Laurence Minot, president of the "Good Government" Association, paid taxes of $1056 on personal property assessed for $64,000. In 1909 he paid taxes of $9,997.35 on $605,900 of personal property — an increase of over half a million dollars and a gain of nearly $9000 to the treasury of the city of Boston in that one year.

This sum was WRONGFULLY withheld by MR. MINOT in previous years. He made good only when the assessors woke up after the exposure of other tax-dodgers and got after him. People not identified with the "GOOD GOVERNMENT" Association call this "tax dodging." Others find it not very different from "graft."

Messrs. MINOT, STORROW, MATTHEWS and their friends have now reduced the whole city government of Boston, outside the schools, JUST TEN MEN. The MAYOR and six members of the City Council can raise money by loans or taxes and appropriate it AS THEY SEE FIT. If anyone wanted to make a "land deal" with the city he will only need the Mayor and six Councilmen to put it through.

Now! MR. MINOT has a very big land deal to put through for his Park Square Trust, in which a large appropriation of city money is the big factor. He has had his association endorse just the six Councilmen necessary for the purpose — with his friend STORROW in the Mayor's chair.

If a political "boss" elected a man to the City Council and sold land to the city by the aid of his vote Mr. Minot and Mr. Storrow would undoubtedly call this "graft." Is Mr. Minot, the "Good Government Boss," to be judged by a different standard because he calls himself a REFORMER?

LAURENCE MINOT, the "Good Government" president, picks six Councilmen — the same Select Six, by the way, first nominated by his friend, Mr. Matthews — and later on Mr. Minot, the Park Square trustee, will come before these six Councilmen, if he succeeds in electing them, and ask them to be very good to the PARK SQUARE TRUST, perhaps to buy it for a new City Hall. The angel Gabriel could not escape suspicion in such a situation!

Mr. Minot and his associates purchased the Park Square property with paper — they printed some "TRUST certificates" and the New Haven road took these, instead of money. They stand to make a big profit — hundreds of thousands of dollars — with no investment of purchase money — provided they can secure the funds of the city of Boston, YOUR MONEY AND MINE, to help their big deal.

The Park Square property certainly needs improvement — perhaps the city ought to help on some fair basis. But Mr. Minot ought not to be allowed to fool the people by acting as the agent and running the representatives of the buyer — just because he claims a monopoly of "Good Government."

At a recent public hearing Councilman Goodwin said that this looked "like an old-fashioned land deal." No wonder that Mr. Minot thinks Goodwin "lacks sound judgment" and "is unfit to be elected!"

But Mr. Goodwin made one mistake. Mr. Minot has framed up a scheme that has all the "old-fashioned" land grafters hopelessly outclassed!

Graft is not limited to small "land deals." The social or financial responsibility of a man who wants to control the action of public officials should not allow him to make a lot of money for himself in the name of "Good Government."

As Mayor of Boston I shall try to keep the rich tax-dodgers, land dealers and grafters from getting away with hundreds of thousands of dollars of city money — by raising an outcry about petty graft.

JOHN F. FITZGERALD

20 Welles Avenue.

SCENES IN SOUTH END SHOWING BIG DAMAGE CAUSED BY DELUGE OF WATER

Hole torn in Tremont street when big main burst and flooded section.

Workmen pumping water from a flooded cellar where much property was damaged.

How sidewalk, cellars and paving blocks were swept away by torrent of water.

FLOOD MADE A HUGE CAVERN UNDER STREET

Water department men at work today repairing the broken water main on Tremont street that ruined a large section of the hotel and theatre district into a veritable Venice last night, and did damage estimated at many thousands of dollars, learned of the fracture and at the same time discovered a great subterranean cavern made by the escaping water that imperilled the sidewalk and the car tracks.

By lowering up the excavation the men found the water department problem again a danger. That part of the line where buildings were said experts investigate to ascertain if the foundation had been weakened. It was said by that there did not appear to be danger to any of the buildings. The car tracks settled perceptibly, but it was too deeped necessary to stop the running of cars.

After digging down less than two feet the workmen were shocked to reach a great cavity. Upon closer investigation they learned that the street for its entire width and for a distance of about fifty feet was a mere shell of probably less than two feet in thickness. Why that section over which cars have been run since the recession of the flood, had not dropped into the fissure the men could not figure out.

The men from the water department located the break in the great main opposite No. 5 Tremont street, which is between Hollis and Eliot streets. This is what the foreman said about the discovery:

"We looked down into that great hole and we could see the end of the thirty-inch main. It seemed to be broken entirely away from the other section of it. The water had caused havoc under the street. It had eaten away the earth until an immense cave had been formed. It is at least fifty feet long and the width of the street.

Cavern Above Subway.

"Under the cavern is the roof of the old subway and cars are running through that, also. It is the greatest wonder in the world that some serious accident has not happened. We will soon have the main repaired and in the meantime will take action to prevent any accident."

Probably twenty-five men from the water department tackled the flood situation early today, after having shut off the water last night. They began work by putting up iron pumps into manholes and plugging the lower end of the excavations that had been made where the fracture occurred. Fortunately there were three such holes, one of which was in the sidewalk on the south side. This hole was used so that pedestrians would not tumble into it.

Another hole and a bigger one in the middle of the street was used by the men as a means to get to the seat of the trouble. While the cave lay below the surface there was no indication of it, because the one hole was a mere shell of probably less than two feet in thickness. Why that section over which cars have been run since the recession of the flood, had not dropped into the fissure the men could not figure out.

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Bailing Out Stores.

In every flooded business house the work of pumping out the cellars started early in the day. With the exception of a landing alley on Washington street, which was not completely out of business, the water coming up to the tops of the pool tables, the proprietors were able to attend their customers.

The Majestic Theatre, right in the heart of the flood and so badly damaged that "Dick Whittington" could not make his debut in Boston there last night, was in the hands of a big force of men today, and it was declared that the theatre would be in good shape for tonight. Some of the costumes were ruined, but Mr. Shubert, who was on here in person to see the opening performance, wired New York for additional costumes, and they received here in plenty of time.

The Globe Theatre, which got a little of the flood and was delayed in opening, is all right to-day as are several of the picture show houses that were injured. It was said at the Tremont to-day that the hotel had not been injured.

Losses Are Heavy.

In the cellar of the Sheinwald Shoddrate, which sells shoes, it was said today that serious damage was done, estimated at $3,500. Some of the others who suffered losses were the Wilson & Gibbs Sewing Machine Company, $2,000; Atkinson furniture store, $400; W. B. Hunt drug store, $1,500; the Grand Rapids Furniture Company, at Nos. 16-18 Eliot street, furniture in the basement damaged, $2,000; Kenner & Co., haberdashery, $1,000; Ferguson & Leach, tailors, $750; Leopold Hollenshabery, $1,000.

4 CANDIDATES IN SAME HALL

Under the auspices of the South Boston Citizens' Association and the South Boston Trade Association, a mass meeting is to be held to-night to lay before the people the benefits to be derived from the establishment of a bicycle plant in the old Cordage Company building at City Point.

The mass meeting is to be in St. Augustine's Hall, E street. Men prominent in the associations are anxious to secure signatures enough to guarantee a permit to establish the plant there, and it is for this purpose that the meeting is to be held.

The four candidates for Mayor are to be among the speakers. The others are former Congressman William S. McNary, Councilor E. P. Barry, Eugene N. Foss and Bernard J. Rothwell. An orchestra has been secured.

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We want every man and woman suffering from the excruciating torture of piles to just send their name and address to us and get by return mail a free trial package of the most effective and positive cure ever known for this disease, Pyramid Pile Cure.

The way to prove what this great remedy will do in your case is to just fill out free coupon and send to us and you will get by return mail a free sample of Pyramid Pile Cure.

Then after you have proven to yourself what it can do, you will go to the druggist and get a 50 cent box.

Don't undergo an operation. Operations are rarely a success and often lead to terrible consequences. Pyramid Pile Cure reduces all inflammation, makes congestion, irritation, itching, sores and ulcers disappear—and the piles simply quit.

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GAYNOR PUZZLE FOR "BIG BILL" EDWARDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Mayor Gaynor has made public this letter which he sent to Street Cleaning Commissioner Edwards:

My Dear Commissioner—Take on a few more football players and you will do it better yet. Sincerely yours,

M. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

The letter set the politicians guessing. Some thought it presaged good for "Big Bill"; some shook their heads, and some thought it meant a lingering, hold-over death.

There are besides Edwards three former football players in the street cleaning department—Deputy Commissioner James J. Hogan of Yale, Harry Vaughn of Yale and George B. Buckwalter, U. of P.

FITZGERALD INSISTS STORROW'S ATTACKS ARE GROSSLY UNFAIR

Former Mayor Fitzgerald addressed a large and enthusiastic audience of long shoremen and laborers in a mass rally today in a tent erected on the corner of Northern avenue and Dorchester street, Charlestown. He attacked the methods of James J. Storrow in conducting his campaign and defended him and his associates for not having larger docks and more grain carrying vessels in that locality and other docks in various sections of the city.

Ex-Senator Charles Sumner Sullivan called the meeting to order. The first speaker was Peter A. Murray, of the old Finance Commission. He made a bitter attack on the manner in which the other members of that body received Fitzgerald. He said that they got nothing on Fitzgerald and for that reason it was their endeavor to get to the latter their votes on January 18 in percentage or by default.

"James J. Storrow is the candidate of the aristocracy of Boston," said Kennedy. "They came together and did not consult the rank and file of the party in the selection of a candidate. I and other labor leaders became nearly-sized trying to find a men they could support now that candidate. Throw it back in their teeth election day by casting your ballots for the best mayor Boston ever had.

Cheers for Fitzgerald.

Representative David H. Shaw, who followed, read Lawyer Carney's letter which appeared in the morning papers.

"The position taken by Storrow in this fight is opposed to every man in Boston," said Mr. Shaw. "He is conducting the meanest and most despicable campaign in the history of the city. Lawyer Carney called him to task for his cowardly action. He said that every man is innocent until he is proven guilty.

At this juncture Mr. Fitzgerald arrived on the automobile. Cheers greeted him when he entered the store. So wild was the scene of those present because of his appearance that a plate glass window was broken. When he ascended the temporary platform he was given three cheers. Cheers he was frequently interrupted. One man said: "Some folks who have had the city's railroad facilities between here and Albany, have assumed the form of a trust," he asked a man.

"I will pass—let him alone, boys, he's a good natured fellow, it," said Fitzgerald.

Here he was interrupted by cheers. The man persisted in interrupting by saying: "Three cheers for the next Mayor of Boston."

"Now boys, said Fitzgerald. "Please keep quiet."

Here is Mr. Fitzgerald's speech in full:

"Charges Grossly Unfair."

The people of Boston have a chance to appreciate the gross unfairness of Mr. Storrow's charges against me by reading the letter which appeared in the morning papers to-day, signed by Francis J. Carney, counsel for Mr. Kiosa, who is now under indictment for real frauds perpetrated upon the city of Boston. The one striking feature brought out by Mr. Carney is this, that while Mr. Storrow charges Mr. Kiosa with the responsibility for the loss of $200,000 of the city's money in the purchase of coal, Mr. Carney points out the fact that the coal concern under indictment sold the city nothing but $40,000 under any circumstances. Mr. Storrow's charges all rest upon the same basis.

It is charged that the city lost $175,000 by the prices paid for cracked stone as against like prices which could be obtained from private contractors, which is even a worse illustration. Under the last year of Mr. Collin's administration the city paid out $220,000 to contractors, none of which was paid to P. J. Donovan, who now leads the Storrow forces in the West Roxbury district. Only $115,000 was paid in both years of my administration to contractors and more than one-half the ledges were closed. The Finance Commission figures a loss of $175,000 to the city treasury, because it charges as a loss the money received by city laborers, paid to them during the Winter months in the ledges.

"Everyone knows that when the ground is frozen and there is little or no snow as has been the case in recent years, that some work must be provided for these men if they are permanent employes, and for the last twenty years, since Mr. Hart was Mayor, these men have been put at work in the ledges. These two cases illustrate the truth of all the charges made against me by the Finance Commission.

Refers to Pensions.

"Mr. Storrow makes the point that if he is elected Mayor that he will secure a pension system for the laborers, as he did when he was a member of the School Board. Mr. Storrow's pension system amounted to $150 to local masters of schools, who had given long years to the service of the city, and thereby secured the betterment of the world unlike Mr. Storrow, who has connected himself to money lords. Mr. Storrow ought in fairness to know that the city of Boston cannot pension its employes except by a special act of the Legislature. Sent up for the Legislature to pass that I was elected on a platform pledged for legislation which would permit the city of Boston to pension the old men. The Legislature refused the right and authority and has declined for the past two years on the petitions of Mayor Hibbard to do the same thing.

"As a word in regard to the conservation of the city of Boston which Mr. Storrow has claimed to be in part due to his election to the Mayor's office. As I have said on other occasions, Mr. Storrow as the representative of that class of people in this community who were wholly responsible for the present condition of our commercial and industrial life. We have had no commercial and industrial growth than during the past seven years, and for twenty years, since Mr. Storrow has been an active factor in the business life of Boston. This man, who has been a director of many corporations, not one of which has added to the industry or commerce of Boston, has the nerve to set before the people of Boston and say that he goes into the Mayor's office that will conserve to do things.

Puts Questions to Sotrrow.

Mr. Storrow was on the board of the Chamber of Commerce which petitioned the legislature for the leasing of the Boston & Albany Railroad by the New York Central. Why did you not act in Boston's interest, Mr. Storrow, when you had the opportunity, when your position in the Chamber of Commerce and your connection with Boston's banks and banking houses gave you influence to use building of capital for the proper development of the road, during those years?

"Why did you not last year, Mr. Storrow, or some representative from the Chamber of Commerce appear in Albany and back the petition before the Public Service Commission for authority to build a road between Albany and Buffalo and have this line built to Boston capital, thus giving Boston an independent outlet to the Great Lakes, to Canada and the Far West? You were silent when all these things, which meant so much for the good of Boston, were under consideration, because the banking house which you represented, and the banks which you are interested in, for purely mercenary reasons were protecting their spare funds, and the funds of the people of the city, whose trustees they were, in more profitable enterprises in the West and Canada, and in Mexico.

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STORROW GETS WARM RECEPTION AT NOON RALLY IN OPEN LOT

More than 200 workingmen stood in the open air for fifteen minutes with the thermometer only five points from zero and listened to James J. Storrow at his noon rally to-day.

The 200 men cheered the candidate when they saw him throw off his overcoat to speak, in spite of the cold. Scores of others who did not hear the speaker stood in the windows of the big factory in back of which the meeting was held and listened intently to the speaker.

The rally was for employes of the American Steam Gauge and Valve Company at No. 220 Camden street, Roxbury.

Gets Rousing Reception.

More than a dozen women joined the men and spent part of the noon hour in listening to the speaker. The speech was broken up every few minutes by applause and cheering.

Peter A. Murray, one of the employes, introduced the speaker. He was received from the platform as he arrived and surveyed the scene laughingly. The men were tipped off in their seats and the candidate seemed unanimly happy at the greeting he got. He also never let it didn't expect a crowd of half the size to have out in such weather.

Mr. Murray's introduction was brief. "I want to introduce James J. Storrow, candidate for Mayor of Boston, a man who is on the level. After more cheering Mr. Storrow began his speech.

"I believe that it is the first time in the history of politics that a candidate has been able to speak to such an audience on a day as cold as this one is. It is a pleasure, but so much to me as you, for I always took interest in the welfare of Boston.

Need of More Industries.

The crowd applauded, and Mr. Storrow turned to his speech on the need for more industries in Boston, and the way to bring them to this city. His speech in full follows:

"I am glad to meet you men and to say that the manufacture of steam gauges and valves represents just the kind of industry we want to cultivate here in Boston.

"It is an industry not of raw materials, but is an industry which takes raw materials and merely shapes them into articles or crude form where the value of the material is greater than the value of the labor and skill put into shaping the material.

"Yesterday my monday speech was made at one of the cracker shoes factories in Boston. That factory also represents the kind of industry we must cultivate here in Boston.

"We must cultivate these kind these industries. First, because owing to our distance from raw materials we can only hope to find manufactures economically adapted to location, at least so as large scale, and secondly because the industries which pay the highest scale of wages and are therefore the most desirable for us to have in Boston, are those in which the workmen can spend the longest time at home and look after their children, they mean better homes, more pleasure and more economy.

Honesty and Industry.

"Now, if I am elected Mayor I cannot guarantee to bring title or that factory to Boston, nor is it the business of the Mayor to himself establish or conduct fish factory or that plant.

"I do pledge myself to render the conditions here in Boston as favorable as possible for those which will lead to make Boston attractive to capital.

"I also pledge myself to take an active part in urging our railroad companies to supply us with the facilities which Boston does not possess to-day, but which are essential if our industries are to grow and prosper.

"I shall also take an active interest in improving, so far as I can in my power, the steamship facilities in Boston, and also in maintaining the rates and tolls at a point where they will not be a menace to Boston's industrial welfare.

Must Pull Together.

"I believe if we all pull together here instead of pulling apart, as is the progress of my opponent, that during the next few years by hard work and with a reasonable amount of good fortune, we can create in Boston thousands and thousands of additional jobs where every well-wisher of the community will be glad to see, and which are in the interest of every man, whether he be a laborer, mechanic, merchant or banker."

HIBBARD TOURS CITY TO-NIGHT

Rallies in the interests of Mayor George A. Hibbard will be held in his home ward, 24, and in Odd Fellows' Hall to-night. The Mayor will attend both meetings, but on account of his illness it will not be able to make any extended address.

Henry C. Long will be the principal speaker at Washington Hall, Ward 24. A big crowd is expected. Other speakers will be Councilman Frank B. Crane and Ward 24 Leonard Martin. Councilman William Keaney of Ward 10, and Representative William F. Wilson. All will speak at Odd Fellows' Hall.

The Mayor made a tour of the city last night, but was able only to whisper greetings. Councilman Crane will be spokesman for Mayor Hibbard at the meetings. He defended the Mayor and decried that there was any alliance with Mayor Mayor John F. Fitzgerald.

Mayor Hibbard and Mr. Fitzgerald greeted each other at the meeting of the Charlestown Improvement Association at the Charlestown High school. They gave each other a warm handclasp.

FOUR MILWAUKEE FIREMEN KILLED

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 4.—While fighting fire inside the plant of the American Bridge company eight firemen were caught by a falling wall. Four were killed.

The dead are Joseph Hansen, captain engine company No. 4; Dominick O'Connell, lieutenant company No. 4; William F. Polcyn, fireman; Joseph J. Sullivan, fireman. The flame, which covered about a block, was destroyed. The loss is $100,000.

AWAY GOES INDIGESTION, GAS AND ALL OTHER STOMACH MISERY

As there is often some one in your family who suffers an attack of Indigestion or some form of Stomach trouble, why don't you keep some Diapepsin in the house handy?

This harmless blessing will digest anything you can eat without the slightest discomfort, and overcome a sour, gassy Stomach five minutes after.

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BIG NAMES ON STORROW COMMITTEE

The list of those who comprise the executive campaign committee for James J. Storrow was made public in a statement issued from the Storrow headquarters this afternoon. The statement says:

"Can be able on the committee are men representing every creed in national party matters, representing every element of the population of the city of Boston, and equally representative of the business and professional interests of the city. The committee will have absolute charge of the campaign.

"Thomas H. Divernoge has been chosen chairman of the executive committee. Democratic leader of Ward 11, and long known as one of the best political managers there is in Boston, as well as a large wholesale and retail grocery and provision dealer in the business section of Roxbury and an effective speaker and campaigner. He has been elected three times to the Common Council. Dr. Jerome Greene, Dr. John Phillips, Charles F. Adams, 2d, Joseph B. Peters, Charles F. Gettemy, Henry L. Higginson, Mr. Knight Dunlap, Bernard J. Rothwell, Capen, Frank Lawrence Colson, J. Pickman Mason, Bernard J. Rothwell, Richard Gabot, M. D., Joseph L. Roberts, M. D., Robert A. Woods, John A. Sullivan, Dennis Nicholson, George A. Lawley, Patrick J. Welch, Gaston A. Means, Archibald Murray, O'Neil, William H. Sheffield, Robert Treat Paine, 2d, Percy Madeira, Louis M. Alsberg, Grafton D. Cushing, Charles F. Choate, Jr., Charles F. Rutherfus, Henry L. Higgin, Ernest Bowditch, James H. Knapp, Henry B. Worthington, Michael H. Corcoran, Francis X. Fahey.

"Among those who will be active members of the State and United States Congressional committee of the Independence League party, a lodge of the Massachusetts Democracy, and a branch of the Republican city committee, several who have had experience in the city government, besides representatives of the best interests of the city.

"It is the first time in the history of the city that representatives of all parties have united in a campaign to elect a common candidate for chief executive of the city."

EX-MAYOR ROSE TO DISCUSS LICENSE

David S. Rose, who served the people of Milwaukee for four years, will speak at Faneuil Hall to-night on "The Commercial and Economic Aspect of No-license and Prohibition." The meeting is under the auspices of Cigarmakers' Union No. 97 of Boston. Leon Wiener, president of the union, will preside and members of the executive board and the label committee will act as ushers. There will be a musical entertainment in addition to former Mayor Rose's talk. The meeting is open to the public.

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SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 4.—It's all off now. The heavyweight fight championship between Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson is already offered. That is as far as the well-ered giant is concerned. He had his fortune told by one of the city's most eminent occult readers, and what was most pleasing to Johnson was the fact that the clairvoyant conveyed to him the information that he would lick Jeffries in the ring when they meet on July 4.

What impressed Johnson so much with the information he received was the fact that just as the negro knew Jim Jeffries, his rival, was here, the white champion announced that he dreamed he would whip Johnson to a frazzle and that the news circulated all over the country, and it made a deep impression on the colored giant, who found it in large print in every paper he read.

Johnson, like the rest of his race, has implicit faith in fortune tellers, and that is the reason he visited a former Chicago negro fortune teller, Professor Williams, known as "The Black Prince," on his arrival in the city with the Johnson Athletic troupe. Johnson claims that he does not believe in dreams, but when communication from the world of spirits was offered to him he took to them in the limit.

Williams did a very satisfactory trance, and informed Johnson he would win by a body blow in a terrific fight. Johnson read all smiles, and declared he was convinced of his success, though he was disappointed that no information was forthcoming as to the terminal round.

It was announced here to-day that John-son has dispensed with the services of Billy Armstrong. The latter was not with him, and the impression was furnished that Bob could not get along with Manager Delph.

Johnson announced that he would train himself, and that he could be assisted by "Gunboat" Smith, Monte Cutler, Jack Fenton, C. B. Lewis and Joe Johnson, his brother. George and Charles Little, George Rhodes and Sid Hester are thoroughly disgusted with one-night stands and is suffering with a severe cold.

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PUT REFEREE OUTSIDE RING ---COFFROTH

J. W. ("Sunshine") Coffroth, the well-known American boxing promoter, now visiting London with Charles J. Harvey, who manages British boxers in the United States, has been around "seeing things" with several prominent London boxing enthusiasts during the last week, and has picked up a few wrinkles.

I had been taught that the English system of boxing was quite dissimilar to that practiced in America," said Mr. Coffroth to a correspondent. On the contrary I found the systems on all fours. Perhaps the two things that particularly presented themselves to my notice were the referee remaining outside the ring and the inclination to open boxing indulged in by the contestants. Both of these are an improvement on our styles. The men here rarely go to a clinch, and the consequence is that more life, ginger and action are infused into the work. Our boxers are to a cruse for get to close quarters and slug away.

As to the referee remaining outside the ring it is a distinct improvement. In the American ring shouts are constantly hurled at the official, such as 'Move around, Jack,' or 'Get windows in your back, Bill,' and 'Break them.' All this is abandoned here. Perhaps one of the main reasons why this is the case is that the boxers here are given more respect to the commands of the referee than they do at home.

Asked whether he had any doubts about Jeffries and Johnson meeting next July, Mr. Coffroth said:

"I have been asked several times whether or not I thought the great fight would take place. I can positively assure you that it will, but as to the result I will not express an opinion. The betting on the bout will be at events."

Messrs. Coffroth and Harvey leave shortly for Paris.

Two other Americans interested in sports who have been in London are Richard C. Klegin and O. Engstrom of Spokane, Wash. Messrs. Klegin and Engstrom are now in Paris. Before leaving for the French capital the first named informed the correspondent that he was prepared to match Al Kaufman against any English heavyweight. Ian Hague for preference, and that he would like to arrange a contest between "Joe" Thomas and "Tom" Thomas.

The latter is the Welsh middleweight who gained the championship and Lord Lonsdale's belt by disposing of Charlie Wilson at the National Sporting Club last Monday night.

RYAN DIFFERS WITH CORBETT

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—James J. Corbett, former champion of the world, who will be one of Jeffries's chief advisers during the last thirty days of his training for the coming big battle with Jack Johnson, believes that Jeff is still unbeatable and that he will be returned the victor on July 4 in the for Western struggle of the races. Tommy Ryan, nineteen middleweight champion, veteran of the days of the most ancient and greatest general Fighting ever has known, takes the opposite view.

Ryan seconded Jeffries in some of his greatest battles, and was with him at Reno when Jeffries beat him the second time. The two men, strange to say, strangely enough, follow one common course. Ryan believes Jeffries is through, as such was him at the critical stage. Corbett believes Johnson's reach is such that the champion pounding Jeffries will give him.

These judges of the old masters were given out after watching Jeff go through his stunts at the Catskills.

SCHEDULE QUESTION ON TRIAL THIS WEEK

CINCINNATI, Jan. 4.—This week will determine whether or not the major leagues will extend the usual schedule. The National Commission meets here today. B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, has declared his circuit will not stand for an extension of play. Indeed, Mr. Johnson wished to cut the present schedule to 144 games. The whole trouble revolves about the annual world's championship series.

Several years ago the National Commission made it imperative that the champions of the two big leagues meet annually to decide the issue. The Joint rules committee has agreed each year since that time on a campaign that practically opened and concluded the respective major league seasons at the same time. Now the National League would extend its season many days further than it does at present. The leagues could not both open and close at the same time unless they agree with the middle of April. Hence no agreement has been reached. The old rule of dragging games from the first until the second week in October.

If the National League wishes to extend its schedule fourteen games beyond the ordinary limit, then the American League believes the mutual agreement broken. B. B. Johnson intimates that he will not permit the champions of the American League to remain idle for a week or ten days before engaging with the winners of the National League race. Johnson is still hopeful that the majority of National clubs where may be convinced of the error of lengthening the present schedule. With this object in view he will consult President Lynch here to-day. In event, the American League will not adopt a longer schedule than has been seen within the last several years.

Thomas J. Lynch, new president of the National League, will for the first time sit in the baseball conference at the cincinnati this week. Many important issues will come up for consideration, chief of which is the petition to reinstate Johnny Kling, the king of catchers. President Lynch will thus be called upon to show his hand in baseball politics. Ban Johnson said that he will not tolerate Kling in organized baseball until he has served his three years' suspension for a violation of organized baseball etiquette.

MINOR LEAGUE TEAMS DENIED DRAFT REQUEST

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 4.—The minor league clubs were turned down by the National Baseball Commission in their request for a change of the drafting rule now in operation.

The Class C, and D leagues requested an abandonment of the present system of purchase of minor league players. These leagues wanted to purchase from one another without making it compulsory for the players to report for the purchasing club on or before the commencement of the major league drafting season.

The Commission in its ruling says: "The impression that if the rules was changed so as to cover the request as made would be detrimental to all but only to the major league and Class A clubs, the latter operating under organized baseball as well."

GRAND CIRCUIT STEWARDS WILL BOOM HANDICAPS

From reliable sources it is learned that a determined effort will be made to carry out handicap races on the Grand Circuit tracks next season in such a manner that they will be popular as to bring in a number of first record horses but so that they will be an interesting feature for spectators.

During the past two years handicap races have had a trial in this country but with little or no success. Horsemen believe, however, that this style of race can be made popular in this country just as well as in European countries, and they will be to this end that the leading lights of the light horses sport will join.

Andrew Welch, the owner of the Readville track, at which scores of two rich handicaps were given last year and this year, has been figuring out a new way to run these handicap to be given at Readville's Grand Circuit meeting next season. The scheme as now was trotted will be to have a field of delinquents in each of two preliminary heats and a mile and a quarter. Horsemen rated as 2.08 and better probably would be scratched and only those should be a single dash with all the 2.08 horses starting in it.

Having heard the curious and cons of the race, Welch thought he would make such changes as would give general satisfaction. He reduced the length of the race one-quarter mile and made it a single dash for not more than forty horses, all started and many starters were walled in. He said he was much that they had practically no chance to get to the front.

For next season Welch has made more reviews and he hopes that the handicaps at Readville next summer will give a greater run than either of the two so far trotted.

In all probability the Grand Circuit stewards will take up the question of handicap racing at their annual meeting in Detroit, January 14. An effort will be made to understood, to have each member of the circuit give a hundred for the handicaps and the purses. By so doing a good line will be had on all the starters that will be in the big events each week in accordance with the form they displayed in the last time they raced.

A series of handicaps with horses carrying different handicaps each week would create much interest in the sport, and as the season advanced the horses would become accustomed to the new way of starting that they would act better and could be handled practically without a break.

Next year Andrew Welch will limit entries to the Readville handicaps to horses with records slower than 2:15 and to all those that have not earned at least three dates during the season. It is believed that a rule should be enforced which will compel horses to race all horses having records slower than 2:10. By so doing a race will be arranged for fast record horses which in the course of time have little or no chance and need such a race to increase their worth.

There is some talk going the rounds that if a series of handicap races are promoted by the Grand Circuit stewards that one man, probably the presiding judge of the circuit, will have full power of levying the handicap.

BILL MURRAY'S CASE WILL BE SETTLED

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 4.—William J. Murray, deposed manager of the Philadelphia National League baseball club, and Henry Pfeil, president of the directorate of that organization, failed to come to an agreement to-day at a meeting held to consider the case of Murray, who would surrender his contract with the club.

This contract, which was made by the former manager prior to his trip for the payment of $7,500 a year salary and had two years to run, was one of the many items of the club are anxious to instal another manager and they offered Murray $5,000 to resign without litigation. This Murray refused to do and said he would place his case in the hands of the national commission.

Another meeting will be held to-day, at which counsel representing the new owners, Murray and the former owners will consider the legal aspects of the case. Besides the $5,000 offered Murray for his release, the club owes him $1,500 on last year's salary.

LANGFORD TO FIGHT FLYNN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 4.—Cherokee Tom Jones, manager of Ad Wolgast, is back from his trip to San Francisco, where he had a conference with Sid Hester relegarding the match with Bat Nelson. Jones states that all Nelson-Wolgast negotiations are off.

"Sid Hester did not convince me that he had Nelson signed up, and should Hester hold he show me that he can pull off a 45-round fight. I am not interested. Hester's terms were all of such a one-sided nature that I dropped him. We will let Nelson wait."

Promoter McCarrey, of the Pacific A. A. is negotiating with Sam Langford with a view of bringing the negro boxer here to meet Jim Flynn. The latter is ready and McCarrey to make the match in order that he may have a chance to wipe out the former defeat at the hands of Langford in San Francisco. Flynn is known as a knockout punch and is fighting better now than at any time during his career.

JACK JOHNSON'S WAY OF DOING BUSINESS

PITTSBURG, Jan. 4.—Dr. T. B. White, owner of the sporting house of McKeesport, to-night announced that Jack Johnson had signed terms, cancelling a contract with his house. There was no explanation to John son's telegram, save the cold announcement that Mr. Johnson found it impossible to make the date, and so it would be cancelled.

Dr. White claims he will lose from $1,000 to $15,000 by the jilt act of Johnson and that he will have to "do or die for the money" he has to take out of Johnson's hide." He has consulted a lawyer and will to-morrow have the baggage of the big fighter attached when he comes to Pittsburg.

BURNS-O'MARA MATCH LIKELY

Every effort is being brought to bear on Freddie Burns, the former Boston Latin sprinter, and Francis P. O'Hara, the former English High flyer, to meet at the Boston Athletic Club games on next Saturday evening, January 22. Both Burns and O'Hara are now students at Exeter, and it is a "toss up" as to which is the better man.

At the final games of the 1915 athletic tournament, held last Summer at Wood Island, Burns succeeded in beating out O'Hara for first place at the tape. O'Hara has never been satisfied that Burns is the better man, and is anxious to meet him again indoors.

Philip C. Lockwood, the old Harcard sprinter, has also signified his intention of making his sprinting again, and will be a factor in a short dash. The following crack races have been arranged up to date:

Paul Cote Oakes vs. Battery A, St. Alphonsus Athletic Club, South Boston A. C. vs Brookline Gymnasium.

DEMAREST AND CLINE IN BILLIARD MATCH

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—D. L. Mank, new manager of Calvin Demarest, the Chicago cue expert who recently won the world's championship at 18.2 balk line, announces that Demarest and Harry P. Cline of this city during the last week in April and first three days of May.

The same rules will govern as in the recent tournament, there being classes at both duck and candlepins for both individuals, two-men, three-men and five-men teams.

WILLETT WITH DETROIT.

DETROIT, Jan. 4.—Edgar Willett, a Tiger pitcher, has signed a contract for one year.

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Just what showing Eddie Sherlin, the local lightweight will make against Jack Bentley, a veteran as Charley Griffin, the Australian champion who comes highly recommended, curiously. It is his first big test of class here.

Biz Mackey, the best boy of his weight in Boston, will go on over the route with little fighters in Albert Belmont to meet the real McCoy in the bantam division and looked upon as a coming champion, faces a live one in Johnny Dundee, of Providence.

Results of Boxing Bouts

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 4.—Paul Brook, the Cleveland boxer, partly closed Tommy Ryder's right eye with a left swing in the first round of the eight-round bout at the Phoenix Club before a crowded house, and repeated the injury with several jolts in the middle rounds and polished the right off beautifully thereafter. Referee Barry decided that it was a draw.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Frankie Moore of Philadelphia outweighed Irish Paddy in their ten-round bout at the Olympic A. C. in Harlem, slough and tumble tactics prevailing. Moore was given the decision. Paddy at this style of milling Moore fat outclassed the cooler and cleverer Paddy.

SYLVIA, Ind., Jan. 4.—Jack Connolly got the decision over Brick Moody before the Young Men's A. C. at Salem in a hard fought ten-round battle which went the limit only three. Ora Rogers bested Bill Goodnight in a ten-final affair six rounds. Young Harrington proved to be too good for Young Bobby Sands in a preliminary.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—Billy Wills and Young Kid Broad put up a corking bout at the New Philadelphia A. C. Wills having a shade the better of the argument, in that he landed the cleaner blows.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—Joe Heffernan of West Philadelphia knocked out Jack Ellis of Philadelphia in the sixth round of a fast bout at the West End A. C.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—In a 10-round bout at the Bedford A. C. in Brooklyn Harry Scoggs of Baltimore outpointed Jack Ritchie of Philadelphia.

DE ORO WINS TWO GAMES IN PRACTICE

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Alfred de oro, the three-cushion billiard champion won two games at McGraw's—He defeated Johnny Sarford and Alfred Johnson in close matches.

De oro defeated Sarford 50 to 47, in eight-five innings. In his match with Johnson De Oro won in ninety innings, 50 to 46.

KID GLEASON TO BE RELEASED BY PHILLY

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—From the baseball atmosphere of the Phillies came announcement to-night that "Kid" Gleason, the veteran second baseman who acted as assistant manager of the club last season, was to be released. President Fogel said he would ask waivers on Gleason. The playing list of the Phillies after May 15 will be restricted to about twenty-five players.

PIRATE CHIEF QUITS FARM FOR BASEBALL

PITTSBURG, Jan. 4.—Manager Fred Clarke of the world's champions made the announcement that he had quit farming and that he would for the next two years do nothing but try to win two more pennants for the Pittsburg fagin. He has rented his great ranch near Winfield, Kans., and will devote his time to baseball. He reserves the right to return to his own ranch at the end of two years.

GOOD GAME PROMISED.

To-night at Monument Hall, Charlestown, the Company G team of Gloucester will be the attraction against the St. Francis A. A. The St. Francis five are champions of that district and have got to lose a game this season, while the visitors claim the championship of New England, going through last season undefeated. Indeed A second game will be played by the Sullivan A. A. and another strong team. Dancing will be held after the games.

POLO RESULTS.

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At Providence—Worcester, 10; Providence, 7.

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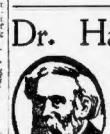

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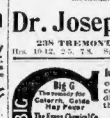

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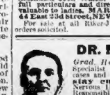

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Horse News and Gossip

W. R. Coe, the well-known trainer and driver was in Lincoln, Me., recently and tried to purchase the stallion Lord Rex. It is understood that Coe offered $2,000 for the horse, but when Pinkham said his price was $2,500, the deal fell through. Pinkham refused the offer.

President-to-be Fred C. Garmon of the Metropolitans, says that another season of racing will be given over to the Readville line to meet with the several clubs that have signified their intention of being represented. Garmon has been over the Charles River speedway for the past through their racing being solely over the Charles River speedway for the past two years, on condition of a couple of Winter meets with the Concord (N. H.) Club.

Frank Berry, who recently died in Chicago and was known all over the country as one of the biggest dealers in horseflesh, was a native of Boston, where he was living Standish, and later lived in Buxton.

In the death of Henry R. Stoddard of Portsmouth, N. H., that State lost one of its oldest and well known horsemen. He was born in Brookfield, N. H., in 1828. In his early days he imported horses from Canada, being a pioneer in that line. During the Civil War he supplied the government with horses. In 1863 he located at Portsmouth, N. H., having made it his home for many years, when he retired. His son, Edgar, known as the country boy of Portsmouth, is now connected with the Cavanaugh Brothers in Manchester, N. H.

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The racing stable of C. W. Lasell won over $9,000 during the season, the exact round numbers being $9,550. The string included Lasell, 2:08¼; Jay Gould, 2:10¾; Hans Setzer, 2:12½; Wilkerson, 2:12¼; Bonnie Way, 2:17½, and several good youngsters.

President E. A. Cowee of Worcester Speedway Club, who has always had faith in the possibilities of the New England fair held there, is at the head of a movement to organize a Worcester Agricultural Society to secure a State appropriation of $6,000 for annual State Fair to Worcester, along the lines of the State Fair of New York, Illinois, Iowa and elsewhere.

It is reported that Tom Sharker's good trotting gelding Klondyke, which was sold at the Garden sale, will be a member of Walter Cox's string for the coming season. The trotter was purchased by the New York amateur horseman Thomas B. Leahy, but was later sold to John Cooley of Boston. Judged by the way Klondyke performed at the Charter Oak ..... fair at Hartford on Labor Day, he should make good in the hands of Cox.

William K. Wallace, one of the best known horsemen of New Hampshire, Vt., died at his home in Newbury, Vt., seventy-five years ago. Wallace made a specialty of fancy pairs and gentlemen's driving horses.

Herman R. Tyson, the well-known trainer, scored his first big win of the year at seventy-one races the past season, and his string of horses won a total of 100 heats second and only nine times outside the money. The wins were done as follows: 2:11¾; Guy Rector, 2:30¾; Ashland Bird, 2:13¾; Lady Rector, 2:24¼; Lady Bird, 2:18¾; and Gladys G., 2:20½. They all got their records last year.

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REQUEST OF MINOR LEAGUES DENIED BY COMMISSION

Pomp Gets Colonel Boxley's New Year's Present and Goes on a Rampage—By Sidney Smith

REDS HAVE NO USE FOR COLLEGIANS

There was a time when the owners of the Cincinnati baseball club looked upon young college players as valuable pieces of baseball property, and many a young man was readily dragged from his dear old college with the aid of a promise of more or less money and asked to help the Reds win a few extra games.

The experience proved costly, for only one of the young phenoms succeeded in making good to such an extent that it was decided to keep him. Tom Churnell, the former Georgetown University pitcher, may be given another chance next Spring. He looks pretty good to Griffith, and the large sums of money expended for the rah-rah boys may not all have been wasted after all.

Johnny Dubuc was one of the first collegians lionized by the Red scouts. Johnny did well enough during the latter part of the season of 1908 to earn a thorough tryout, but fell down completely last season. He has been sold to the Buffalo club.

Herbert Schneck, a pitcher who led the University of Michigan team to three victory in 1908, made his debut in red on the same day that Dubuc made his bow. He followed Johnny after the latter had injured one of his legs trying to field a bunt. Schneck was not tried again after that day and after being shifted around quite a bit was lost in the shuffle.

While Schneck and Dubuc were gradually getting accustomed to getting on parade without wearing the loudest socks and smallest suits procurable, a pitcher by the name of Rice came on from Hartford. He had been a member of the Purdue University nine and had made members of the college lettmen who had opposed him. After a short wait he was sent to Dayton, where he pitched a few fair games.

Last season the Cincinnati club was put up to the fact that a chap named Egan, who pitched for Fordham College, was for rent thing. He was signed and reported to Manager Griffith in New York. Griff took one good look at him and then closed his eyes and walked away. A few days later a deal of some kind was made whereby he was to report to Wilkesbarre. He refused to do so and an arrangement was made with another club.

RIVAL BOSTON SCHOOLS TO COMBAT

Boston English high in a dual meet this Winter. The date has not been selected, but it will probably be early in March. Boston Latin did not think it was strong enough in 1908 to meet English high in such a meet, and none was held.

Manager Lamb of Boston English High is negotiating with the High School of Commerce, Dorchester, Mechanic Arts and West Roxbury high track teams for dual meets.

REFEREE IN RING BEST BOXING IDEA

Over in England they are again discussing whether it's to any advantage to have the referee in the ring or to keep right on in the old-fashioned method of having him seated outside the ring, from which point of vantage he warns and gives instructions to the fighters. Right here in America we have seen some fights that would have ended in rough-house tactics if the official were outside the ropes. Why, the fighters would pay no more attention to him than if he were some fifty miles away. But, then, it's all in the manner in which you educate them. In England they have been accustomed to learning that after one warning by the referee they are immediately disqualified for the next transgression of the rule, and they take heed and abide by the warning.

Every old time fight fan remembers when Kid Lavigne came back after defeating Dick Burge. He told his friends time and again with what fear and trembling he entered the ring for fear that he might be disqualified by the referee for clinching. During the entire battle that thought was uppermost in his mind, and no matters worse he did clinch in the second round and was told by the referee to desist sang out: "I say, Mr. Lavigne, you are holding. You shall stop that immediately, sir, under penalty of disqualification."

Can you picture the game Rich Michigan battler can you picture his feelings when he was told to consider that Ted and Sam Fitzpatrick and every dollar they owned in the world wagered on that result, and to think that some little thing like a cowhide's ever be noticed in this country. Why, he would only rest him his gum, shuffle but the Bethweight championship of England and world? It would be a case of postponsion stand out on his forehead.

BASEBALL LEAGUE IN NORFOLK COUNTY

Baseball teams representing Hyde Park, Canton, Norwood and Dedham, recently met in Norwood and organized the Norfolk County League. C. R. Donnell of Norwood being selected president pro tem, till the next regular meeting on January 20 at the Norwood Press Club, Norwood, at 8 o'clock, when the officials for the ensuing year will be elected.

Any town in Norfolk County wishing to join the league is invited to be present at the next meeting, or address C. R. Donnell, Norwood.—

GREEK VS. DANE.

Lovers of wrestling hereabouts have promise of a good bout at the Columbia Wednesday, Jan. 6, when Ole Olsen, the Dane, is to meet George Sandaile, popular Greek known as "The Adonis of Lynn." Olsen is 45 feet in height and weighs 185 pounds, while Sandaile is 5 feet 10 and 210 pounds. Sandaile is a newcomer to Boston, but he comes with a fine record

STRAIGHT DOPE
FOR SPORT FANS

NOW THAT ALL YOU GOOD IRISHMEN ARE SUFFICIENTLY STIRRED UP we'll have to admit that Dan Donnelly did fight George Cooper on the Curragh of Kildare. If there is any doubt of it still lingering in your minds as to how the champion of Ireland finished the encounter, read the following succinct and masterly account or get some one to sing it for you. I have had at least a dozen Irish song books, containing the song, mailed to me, so I can print it every day for a couple of weeks if it will help any. Now, come all ye:

DONNELLY AND COOPER.

Come all you true-bred Irishmen. I hope you will draw near,
And likewise pay attention to these few lines you hear;
It's of as true a story as ever you did hear,
It's about Donnelly and Cooper, that fought all on Kildare.

'Twas on the 24 of June, brave boys, this challenge sent o'er
From Britannia to old Erinnes to meet him once more;
To renew her misfortune and her credit to mend,
For they're all in deep distraction since Donnelly conquered all.

Old Granno read the challenge received and she smiled,
Saying "You'd better hasten to Kildare, my well-beloved child;
There you will reign victorious, which you often did before,
And your fame will shine as gloriously as round old Erin's shore."

The challenge was accepted; these heroes did prepare
To meet brave Captain Kelly on the Curragh of Kildare;
When these two valiant champions were placed up to the ring,
They both were still determined on each other's blood to spill.

From 8 to 9 passed their time, till Donnelly knocked him down,
Old Granno smiled "Well done, my child that is ten thousand pound!"
The second round that Cooper fought he knocked down Donnelly,
Likewise time game was Donnelly, he rose most fortunate.

Right active then was Cooper; he knocked Donnelly down again;
These Dublonians stood amazed, crying "The battle's all in vain."
Long life to brave Miss Kelly, she's recreated on the plain.
Six bouts stepped on the ring, saying "Now, what do you mean?
My Irish boy!" said she, "my whole estate I've bet on you, brave Donnelly."

Donnelly rose again, and meeting wit h great might,
And to staggers those noble all, continued in his fight;
Cooper struck in his own defence, as action proved in vain;
He soon received a temple blow that knocked him on the plain.

Now, you sons of proud Britannia, your boasting now recall,
Since Cooper now for Donnelly must a mad downfall;
Out of eleven pounds, gave nine knockdowns and broke his jawbone;
"Shake hands, my boy," said she, "Donnelly, for battle's all our own."

If you want any more of it, the fight took place in 1814, and lasted 22 minutes. It was for a purse of sixty guineas, not quite as much as Jeffries and Johnson are matched to fight for next July.

THE ARMORY A. A. HAS A SHOW billed for to-night which will no doubt restore it to the good graces of the fans who have suffered disappointment owing to poor matches and bad decisions. It is to be hoped that the three star bouts will be pulled of as billed and that the referee will attend close enough to his knitting to please the crowd with his decisions. Boxing appeared to be in a bad way in Boston and there is little doubt that to-night's card will be a humdinger. In all three bouts the contestants are so evenly matched that it looks like a case of take your choice. It is a wise man that can pick even one winner out of the bunch.

JOHN O'HARE, DORCHESTER—

Whist, man, It's surprised and grieved am I at you. With a name like yours and you not knowin' what the Curragh of Kildare is. Did you never hear your grandfather sing:

"On the Curragh of Kildare
The boys they will be there
With their pikes in good repair
—Says the Shan Van Vocht."

UNLESS THINGS GO AMISS THE first step towards cleaning up the welterweight title will be taken next Monday night when the American A. C., the new West End Club, gives its initial show. The main bout is between Honey Mellody and Kid Whitney, and it can be easily doped out that the welterweight title is at stake, in spite of the claims of a number of boxers who talk of being welters but who couldn't make 142 pounds unless they'd cut off an arm or a leg. Mellody has been beaten a number of times since he won the welter title from Joe Walcott, but never at the recognized weight, so he still claims the title. Whitney doesn't claim anything, but his showing against some of the best men in the ring makes him a legitimate challenger. Tommy Quirk could use a few days ago that he would challenge the winner of the bout, or would welcome a match with any other boxer who thinks he has the right to cut in. The bout next Monday is going to be well worth seeing, and the club that matches the winner with the Brockton boy will get a drawing card. Quill is a busy agent every minute he is in the ring, and the fans like to watch busy fighters at work.

THAT MAN MCPHERSON OF THE Everett team, in the Odd Fellows' Bowling League, sure is some bowler. A total of 289 for three strings is within one pin of the world's record, according to several bowling fans who have been looking up the dope, and that is what Mac rolled last night on the New Boston Alleys.

INSTEAD OF THE REGULAR AN nual talk of Honus Wagner quitting the game, now the spiel is that the Flying Dutchman will be played at first base instead of short. All positions look alike to Honus, and I'm willing to lay a small bet that no other club will have any edge on the Pirates with the infield sack with Wagner on this corner. The long-armed Dutchman comes pretty near being the whole Pittsburg team, although Hush Jones says there are a few other positions.

STRAIGHT DOPE, Boston American:
Please state in your column whether Dave Deshler has fought Terry Martin before and where the fights took place. Terry resides here.—1265, DESHLER.

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Deshler won from Martin in Chelsea in fifteen rounds in 1905, and Martin won from Deshler in same distance the following year.

DR. ROLLER VERY SICK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Dr. B. F. Roller, the Seattle wrestler, is in a serious condition at Mercy Hospital, threatened with blood poisoning. He underwent an operation for boils, which had become infected.

JOE JEANETTE WANTS $3,500 FOR LANGFORD

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Joe Jeanette was offered a match with Sam Langford by the matchmaker of the Armory A. A. to-day, but this local manager, Jimmy Johnson, called immediately to ban McKetrick in Paris, the main squeeze behind Jeanette, to get his sanction. The Paris answer was that Jeanette could fight Langford if he received $3,500 for his end, because that was the amount he was offering Langford to go to Paris, to match up with Jeanette there.

The result of trying to get Jeanette and Langford together became one of two things. Either McKetrick is afraid of having his giant jar baby killed by the Boston giant killer or else he is trying to bunce the Boston sports with an inflated idea of his own esteem and Jeanette's classing in the ring.

MURPHY DENIES EVERYTHING

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Charles W. Murphy of the Chicago Cubs to-day arrived in Chicago from his winters trip and denied that either he or Charles P. Taft owned stock in the Chicago baseball club. As to the best specific denial issued by the Cub president, he issued a signed statement in which he declared that neither he or the brother of President Taft owned stock in the club although Mr. Taft did purchase the grounds upon which the Phillies play and later leased it to the club.

Murphy said that he did not know all of the stockholders of the Philadelphia club and declined that he was not even certain of the identity of the men who put up the money that made it possible for Horace Fogel, the Philadelphia newspaperman to purchase the club.

COUNTRY JAY FOR NEW WORLD'S RECORDS

Gus Macey, who trains George H. Estabrook's private stable of racers, is authority for the statement that he believes that the old-time favorite, Country Jay, still has more surprises under his girth for the racing public. Last year, at the age of thirteen years, Country Jay startled the horse world at Detroit by defeating a string of horses in a closer manner and later by lowering the world's record to saddle at North Randall track to 2.10¾. Not being contented with that, Reggy Macey, son of the veteran trainer, a few weeks later, rode the old horse a mile in 2.08¾ at Syracuse, and by so doing broke the record of 2.14¾, held by Charley Mac, 6½ seconds dazed.

This latter is a most piece, and yet while a stun proposition it contains not a single part, both or ant different from what is to be found in the regular stock car, the only difference being in the degree of polish given the individual parts. The runabout is one of the most attractive cars seen here, being roomy and comfortable, the driver's seat not being situated in the slightest degree, but constructed on broad, liberal lines. It looks the part of a speed product and according to those who have ridden in the same can do as fast work as any cars in captivity.

The American exhibit is a model compiling samples of several lines, all of which can be seen at the establishment of the American Auto Company in Copley square.

Novelties in Tires.

Twin or dual type pneumatic tires, although scarcely a novelty, are displayed for the first time in an automobile show in this country as of the pattern this week. The twin style in solid rubber tires has been much used in the past, but in the opinion of the Diamond Rubber Company the dual type in pneumatics will succeed the former very generally, particularly the rear wheel tires. The argument is the saving of the machinery of the truck or other car on which they are used. The reduced vibration minimizes the crystallization of the metals, gives the engine a smooth protection from shock and jar, and makes possible greater speed with no increased consumption of power. Then, again, if one of the tires on a wheel suffers a puncture the remaining tire kept well inflated beats the old method of the journey's end, and a change of tire on the road is not necessary. In the Diamond tire exhibit the dual type of pneumatic is shown in its most demountable rims. Extra tires for use with these rims are always carried fully inflated. This style of tire equipment is being much discussed for use in fighting fire apparatus and ambulances and on delivery wagons, inside cities where time is a prime requisite.

Everitt "30" a Hit.

Among the new comers is the Everitt Thirty, and as might be expected, there is to be no end of favorable comment on this car which is handled in Boston by J. W. Bloxham, who is on the ground looking for business. The car makes a most favorable appearance, the chassis showing every attention to detail and excellence of construction. The motor is clean and compact, being particularly free from a large number of wire or oil leads. The car embodies about everything new in approved automobile construction besides having several distinctive features.

The cylinders are cast en block and the valve and exhaust manifolds are contained in one large pipe, subdivided into three for inlet and exhaust, and water manifold, while the oiling device is simple and efficient. On the right of the chassis there is a large oil well which feeds direct to the crank case, with a push pedal ignition device to perform its proper functions. The transmission is on the rear axle and is so constructed that it is impossible to shift from one gear to another without going into neutral. The first of these cars should arrive in Boston by January 10, and will certainly create a good impression.

The most attractive runabout is that of the torpedo body at the American booth where is also found one of the handsomest polished chassis that has ever been put on exhibition. This latter is a most piece, and

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AUTOS ARE FINISHED IN BATTLESHIP COLORS

By J. C. KERRISON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—With each succeeding day there comes to the front some new and particular attractive feature at the tenth annual International Motor show now being held in the Grand Central Palace, which pulsating by the way, is likely to be demolished in order to make room for a more modern structure.

The multitude of the shows is something that grows on one, something not appreciated to the full with the first shot out of the gun, but something that gradually unfolds itself, displaying new things in the motor world, either in motor cars or their accessories. As comprehensive as it is in matter of motors, it is equally so in the accessory line and it can scarcely be said that no previous show either in this building or in the Madison Square Garden excels the one now in progress, the number of cars displayed is a record one, while the quality is of the best.

Rather a peculiar and unprecedented condition has arisen in connection with many cars in this show with likewise be found in the exhibit which opens in Madison Square Garden on Saturday evening next. This is made possible by the ascendency of a Seldon License by those concerns. The attendance of the early hours of this morning has been most excellent. It seems as though the out of town dealers are coming in to-day in greater numbers than ever before, and they will not arrive until to-morrow or Friday, they evidently preferring their visit here to take up the last week when it will be possible to cover both shows in one visit to the great city.

Perhaps the most interesting among the new models are the so-called torpedo bodies which show an improvement over the first get out and are finished in dead gray, and which make a most striking appearance. The most attractive of these

BOSTON AMERICANS DOUBLE

Unpaid Debts of Wealthy Cause Inconvenience to the Small Tradesmen

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

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"DO you know what helps to make Anarchists?" said a bright man to me.

"It is the indifference of stores of people here right in the midst of their evil efforts. Never having felt the lack of ten or one hundred dollars they cannot realize the misery it entails when they withhold them from small tradesmen.

A milk dealer whose bill the writer has in families in Boston whose names were synonyms of wealth and aristocracy, often allowed bills of $50 or $70 to go unpaid for years.

A meat agent gave me the name of a wealthy family whose bereavement account of twenty-five dollars had been vainly presented on them. The family had sailed for Europe without one word of dollar to the man.

A French cooking, a seamstress, a coal merchant, a milliner, a restorer of furniture, all have similar experiences to relate giving the names of their thoughtless and irresponsible patrons.

The Women to Blame

"The millionaire is busy with large enterprises and takes a secretary to attend to these bills, perhaps; and the secretary considers the small bills unimportant, and puts them aside while he attends to "important" matters. As if anything could be more serious than the needs of the man or woman dependent upon a small, hard earned income!

More frequently, however, I believe the fault of these neglected bills lies with women of wealth.

The husband expects his wife to attend to such details, and when a madam is called upon she is busy with a visitor, or talking a man, or dressing for a reception, or going to act on a charitable committee for building a new hospital or church, and the word "to call again" is used.

So small a matter can wait. If the bill is presented too often, however, madam becomes indignant at "the presumption." But she does not pay it. Important? It is such a matter.

It ought to be made a law that all people of wealth should be posted on the street corners by ringing bells or blowing whistles petty bills run longer than two months.

If it is criminal for the dispensers of large charities and expensive hospitalities to ignore the needs of small tradesmen or workmen or women who are dependent upon their little earnings for daily necessities.

How to Regard Debts.

One of the first principles to instill into the mind of a young boy or girl is a high sense of honor about money matters. Teach your children to repay a loan or a postage stamp as sacredly as they would a hundred-dollar note.

Make them feel that Saturday's sun should never go down upon an unpaid bill. Talk about the subject in their hearing.

Children absorb things gained by listening to the conversation of their elders more quickly than they do sermons directed to them individually.

If you are forced to let a bill or a debt run any length of time, speak of it in the presence of your children as a misfortune which you hope to avert concerning a second time.

Show that you are anxious about the matter, and that you feel that you are ready to deprive themselves of some pleasure, so even economize in order to be able to wipe out the debt and saving the family honor.

Bring them up with the idea that parties and all clothes are beautiful when they save the wearer from incurring debts.

No matter how brilliant and gifted a man may be, no matter how beautiful and accomplished a woman, both are humiliated hopelessly in the eyes of all right thinking people if they are negligent about their financial obligations.

Hundreds of unhappy marriages can be traced to this one fault in either husband or wife.

There is nothing more humiliating to a woman of refinement and ordinary self feeling than the knowledge that her neighbors and associates know her husband disregards his honest obligations and that tradesmen are needing what he uses for other purposes.

There is nothing hurts a man of good principles more than to find his wife inconsiderate of the rights of her creditors.

"The moment a man and wife begin to have discord over money from any cause the bloom is gone from the domestic rose.

Every young woman should learn something of her lover's methods in these matters before she becomes his wife.

The man who makes light of financial obligations is the man who will make light of his marriage obligations. There is a streak of dishonor somewhere in his make-up.

The right sort of a father or mother would overcome and eradicate such a trait in beginning early, but it will prove a difficult task for a wife.

The thoughtless girl is more easily molded by a high-principled and careful husband, but were I a man I should strongly bargain far away from the course of the fair sex who left pest with unpaid bills behind her.

Start your children out in life with these rich ideals as their subject and rest assured they will not wander far away. So many boys and girls learn poverty and economy preached, but hear nothing as to not thinking upon the disgrace of debt, see a young mind associates debt with honor the foundation of right principles is laid.

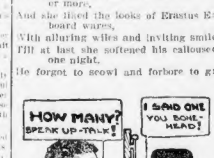
It is your business to do this for your child. It is a better fortune to bestow upon a son or daughter than a million dollars and leave an indifferent sense of honor in the use of other people's money.

The Downfall of Erastus Each

BY JAMES J. MONTAGUE

ERASTUS EACH was a ticket clerk at a popular subway station.
And he toiled all day for but meagre pay at his arduous occupation.
Now peeling tickets from off a reel at the back of a madding mob,
Is not at best, it must be confessed, a highly ennobling job.
So Erastus Each became possessed of a sullen and morbid mind
And a manner crude and a soul imbued with a hatred of all mankind.

Optimia Orr was a young cashier in a neighboring hardware store,
Who had charms and arts that had broken hearts by the hundred dozen or more,
And she filled the looks of Erastus Each, and she purchased his pasteboard wares,
With alluring wiles and inviting smiles, an dpretty coquettish airs.
Till at last she softened his calloused heart, and when she approached one night,
He forgot to growl and forbore to growl and was almost half polite.



And so as the weary weeks wore on, as they will, if you only wait.
Erastus felt his malevolence melt and the hatred in him abate.
He grew to be fond of Optimia Orr, and was vastly surprised to find
He had lost the worst of his bitter thirst for the murder of all man kind.

Now enter the wily Malvolio Mudge, the boss at the hardware store,
Who had loved but lost, with a heavy frost, the gentle Optimia Orr.

Malvolio Mudge saw the ticket clerk make eyes at the girl one day.
And he watched a while with a vengeful guile and an eye that was cold and gray.
And he saw that Erastus seemed to teem with benevolence deep and vast,
For all the crowd that surged and plowed and eddied and struggled past.

And he had Erastus bounced forthwith for the subway rule's despite,
That prohibits a hand in a ticket stand from being at all polite.

Just Who is the Boss in the Everyday Household? Asks Beatrice Fairfax

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

DID you ever hear the story about the man who came home late one night bringing a few kindred spirits with him for a bite of supper and a game of cards?

His wife had gone to bed, but he got in the chafing dish and several other things and largely and grandly invited his guests to fall to and make themselves at home.

They did fall to right merrily and made a good deal of noise.

After a time it occurred to one of the guests that they were rather noisy and that it was time to go home.

"No indeed," said the host. "Stay as long as you like."

"But perhaps your wife doesn't like all the racket," ventured the guests.

"What I say goes," answered the host pompously. "I am Czar in this house."

Just then a soft voice floated down from above. "The gentlemen may stay as long as they like, but the Czar must come to bed." And the party went out.

Just who is "boss" in the ordinary every-day household? the wife, if she is a woman of tact and discretion, can be domestic boss, I think.

If she foolishly brings every household detail to her husband's notice she can not be, for he will consider it his manly duty to interfere.

The Wife Is Boss in the Home.

The wife who would be boss runs her household so smoothly that her husband is merely conscious of how heavenly comfortable everything is, and makes no inquiries.

If she talks to him about the servants and the kitchen range and the butcher bill, he will quickly come to look upon himself as the court of appeal and to regard his word as law.

In every detail of the home the wife should be boss.

Every man likes a good dinner, and the dinner that is kept waiting is not good; therefore the husband should see that he has no right to spoil the meal his wife has taken the trouble to order or to cook.

In outside things the husband is boss, and no wife has the smallest right to interfere in her husband's business affairs.

Where there are children, mother and father have equal rights and interests.

Boss Different from Head.

No woman really enjoys being absolute boss of her husband. I think the wife of a henpecked husband is as unhappy as the man himself. She has a contempt for her husband and a hatred for her ungentle sway.

A man should be head of his household, but there is a difference between a head and a boss.

The head is revered, the boss is feared.

In some households the moment the man of the house closes the front door after him there is general rejoicing: everybody relaxes. The mother smiles, the children shout. That man is a boss.

When a woman bosses the household it runs along different lines. She oversees everything, makes the machinery run smoothly, is responsible for every one's comfort.

On the whole, I think that in happy households the woman is the boss. Don't you agree with me?

Mr. Optim's Hunch on His Employer's Plans---By Kennett Harris

MR. OPTIM raised his glass of sweet cider and drank to his family.

"Here's to all of us," he said, smiling across the table. "Here's health! true significance of this rules, but I see now that two dollars on the river's brim simple two dollars is to you and nothing more. Do you know that I could find it by my heart to whoop with joy for the very reason that it isn't any more than two dollars."

"That's the trouble with you, dear," murmured Mrs. Optim. "You whoop so easily."

The Optims went gleefully soaring along on the dreams of that two-dollar raise his boss gave Mr. Optim.

"Melissa, my love," said Mr. Optim, "you take a wrong view of the matter entirely. I thought you had grasped the

grieved them to give me the assurance, but they felt they had to. They did it grudgingly, and they only made it two dollars. That gives them a larger margin for future increases, which they doubtless have in mind."

"If their increases only come at the rate of two dollars a year they can afford to make a few," commented Mrs. Optim. "I suppose if it had been a one-dollar raise, you would have been better pleased still."

"I confidently expect another addition within three months, my dear," said Mr. Optim. "It will be more than two dollars, moreover. If it is less than five, I give you leave to tell me that I was oversanguine."

"That five, with the two we have already, will give us thirty dollars a month more than we were getting a week ago. Of course, thirty dollars a month is not a fortune, but it's something. It will relieve the financial strain that we have been experiencing to quite an appreciable extent, and then as I tell you, it's a beginning."

Better Position Coming

Mr. Optim paused to drain his cider glass, which he left with each gesture to leave a white imprint of the rim on its nose.

"Listen some more," he resumed. "Mr. Higdon, our credit man, is failing in health and I am sure that he will have to resign by July or August. The hot weather always bothers him up first, you know. I understand that he's independently rich and could afford to retire any time. I'll bet you three guesses who succeeds him."

"You don't think——" began Mrs. Optim.

"I didn't think," said her husband, "I admit that a short time ago the idea would have seemed preposterous to me, but out this raise and some other things that I didn't already mention, confidence to at the time, but which I see now were clear indications, I am positive that I shall step into his shoes."

Even Taxes Are Uncertain

"It's about the best paying position there is short of the manager's. We could live marvelously on half of it and invest the rest in some good paying propositions as they happened to present themselves, and by the time Drusilla is old enough, we can send her to Vassar or Wellesley or Smith.

But when Mrs. Optim's practical mind steered it around to the grocery bill the dreams vanished.

"Couldn't I go, too?" asked Ethelinda, with a quivering underlip.

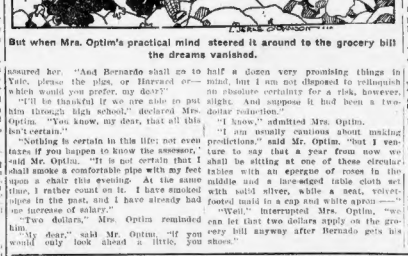
"You, too, of course, my pet," Mr. Optim assured her. "And Bernardo shall go to Yule, please the pigs, or Harvard or—which would you prefer, my dear?"

"I'll be thankful if we are able to put him through high school," declared Mrs. Optim. "You know, my dear, that all this isn't certain."

"Nothing is certain in this life; not even taxes if you happen to know the assessor," said Mr. Optim. "It is not certain that I shall smoke a comfortable pipe with my feet upon a chair this evening. At the same time, I rather count on it. I have smoked pipes in the past, and I have already had the pleasure of selling."

"Two dollars," Mrs. Optim reminded him.

"My dear," said Mr. Optim, "if you would only look ahead a little, you would be far happier. If my anticipations are ill-founded I can always resign and devote my energies to something that will assure us a comfortable income. I have



The Yellow Circle

By CHARLES E. WALK

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CHAPTER XX.—(Continued)

Cullimore's Defection

"WHY the devil is it a subject for discussion? Why don't you cut these ropes, or whatever they are?"

"I want to, sir—believe me, I do—but we must have an understanding first, sir." This was too much for Coles tired brain, which could understand nothing.

"You're one of that gang of cut-throats, Cullimore," he said; "you can't make me believe otherwise—you're one of them."

The full mobile face became melancholy. almost meek.

"Mr. Cole, I must disoute what you say, sir. I'll admit that I might have been misguided, but what I was and what I am now are two different things. I have put all that behind me, sir, and am taking my life in my hands by breaking loose from them. It's a dangerous thing to attempt, Mr. Cole, but I have resolved to try. You see, sir, I am being perfectly frank with you."

Bringing Cole to Terms

"You have some terms to offer, then?"

"I have, sir, with your permission."

Cole could do naught but listen; and presently it all began to form itself quite clearly in his mind—only he could not keep it there; the grotesque lugs of fact were so elusive.

Under normal conditions, he might have marvelled at the man's disclosures, his utter moral indifference to the crimes and deeds wherein, one way or another, he had participated, and of which he spoke with undisturbed equanimity. But all his emotions were stilled in a way that was beyond his pain; the man's matter-of fact way of speaking left the grim thing whereof he spoke without color or flavor.

It only became dimly realized that Cullimore was bound by an oath, and that his fear of it was worse than the fear of death. Yet an acute ear would have discriminated between dread of the oath and dread of the punishment following its breach. So, after all, the man was frank, only when he could lay to the oath's spirit, clinging tenaciously to its strict letter by silence, evasion, or downright falsehood.

He started from the premise that, having been delegated to murder Cole, through failure to do so he had saved the young man's life. This sophistry, presented through an infinite variety of ways, wrung no expression of gratitude from Cole. His fate was paradoxical—not without point.

Cole admitted as an example of what Cullimore might himself expect as a penalty for shirking the obligation.

Was Sent to Kill Cole

"Believe me, sir, when I say it I don't know 'ow you got 'ere; I was sent—beg your pardon, sir—to bash you over the 'ead. Strike me dead if what I say isn't true. I couldn't appear unwilling to do what I'm bound by sworn oath to do, sir; I 'ad to make a show of obeying; and 'ere I am, I shan't do murder if I can 'elp it. You meet me 'arf way, Mr. Cole, and you shall go free—so 'elp me, you shall!"

Abruptly Higdon appeared in the picture. It seemed that he was to have been Miss Day's custodian. He had spirited her away—Cole's vaguest attention perused to harken—to some secure place, which he had refused to divulge.

Up to this point the young man had listened with keen interest for the sneaker's troubles than for his own; but had he not been restrained by his bonds, at Cullimore's last declaration, no doubt, he would have started violently.

What was this about Higdon?—and Dorothy? Of a sudden Cole's interest was aflame.

"Say that again, Cullimore," he sharply commanded.

"I 'adn't never told where he took her; he died with the secret locked in his breast."

When the full import of this statement struck home to Cole's comprehension, for a moment he was merely dumfounded; then his head rolled in a stupor of sickening horror.

(To Be Continued To-morrow.)

NO SURPRISE TO HER

The young man met the little ten-year-old sister of the house and said:

"Now, Jennie, I want to tell you something that I hope you will like. Do you know that at the party last evening your sister promised to marry me? Now, I hope you will not think bad of me?"

"Hard of you?" echoed the truthful little Jennie. "Why should I. That's what Mamma gave the party for."

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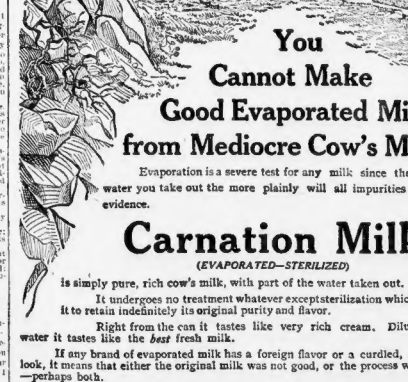

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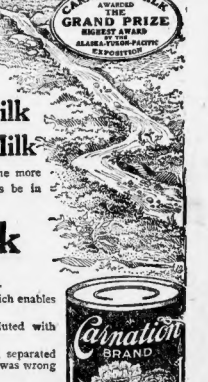

MILK BREAD.—Heat moderately ½ cup *Carnation Milk* diluted with ½ cup water, and turn it into the mixing bowl, adding one tablespoon butter and one teaspoon salt. When cool add ½ cup yeast, and stir in from 3 to 4 cups flour, or enough to make a drop batter; beat thoroughly until smooth and full of air bubbles; cover and let stand in a warm place until morning, then add enough flour to make a dough; about two quarts of flour in all will be required. Mix thoroughly, knead until smooth and elastic and will not stick to the board of hands. Let rise when light turn it onto the floured board, and shape in loaves loaves with as little kneading as possible. Let rise to greased tin pans; bake to a hot oven about one hour.

TO-DAY'S BEST STORY

SHE was about to marry Mr. Moneybags, and it was quite a case of May and December. The gentleman was old and rich, and she was young and rich. A grand party was given to celebrate the betrothal, and one of the guests was requested by the hostess to oblige with a song.

"Yes, do sing, Mr. Sweetnote," remarked the prospective bridegroom. "Do you happen to remember, 'My Sweetheart When a Boy?'"

"Great Scot!" exclaimed the vocalist. "Remember him! You must take me for a centenarian!"

He was not invited to the wedding.

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Kindly answer me this, if you please:

How to judge and to know——
Or at all approve——
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WHERE HE WAS CAUTIOUS

"That Arctic explorer wasn't successful in getting expert talent to manufacture records for him."

"No," answered the crudely mercenary theatrical manager. "But you must give him credit for not taking any counterfeit money at the box office."—Exchange.

HOME MAGAZINE PAGE

Splendid Dramatic Bill-of-Fare Is Offered to Play-Goers for This Week

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," that dear little screenger which Mrs. Kate Kate Douglas Wiggin gave us to laugh and sob about in her Sunnybrook Farm stories, came to Boston last night via the Tremont Theatre, brought Hazel Dawn and the farm's people with her and—and made good. She is here for an indefinite stay. Her efforts last night and the manner in which loudly cold Boston warmed up to her warrant her a house full of visitors every time she cares to "precipe" in this city.

Rebecca of the drama is pretty much the same "Rebecca" that she was in the book. Mrs. Wiggin has dressed off a bit of the book character here and there with the aid and assistance of Charlotte Thompson, but Rebecca in the main is the same person, and you'd never dissolve her, not spike the snipping.

The plot? There isn't much that you'd care to call a plot. It's just a story. When you're watching the story unfold itself you wonder just what the point is and just what the author is aiming at. Then you go home. And the way Zoom on Bod rolling through your mind fifty-seven varieties of movie and piano and Sousa and other things left by the story of Rebecca.

Hush. You say to yourself. And you make up your mind that if you're quite as sour dyspeptic as you have been you know it certainly isn't the fault of the show you saw.

That doesn't mean that "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" tells a story of the most exhilarating sort. Rebecca is just a—you—the—story-of-a-little-girl-who-was-good-and-she-died-and-went-to-heaven-and-all-of-it. It's just one of those plain stories of every-day New England farm life. Rebecca is not an angel. She's a freckled-nosed girl who loves her family. But you can't help liking her.

She's the kind of a girl that all the neighborhood to help sell four cakes of soap so that the prize, a piano lamp, may be given to her family that's starving. "Starving to death for the want of a piano lamp." That's the good old spirit in the story. The characters are all of the type that furnish a laugh and the semi-tragic ones.

The story of a young country girl who is "floated" by her widowed mother to two maiden aunts in the hope that education so that she may become an educational teacher and liquidate her father's only request, a mortgage on the farm. A rival at the aunt's home, her meeting with the children of her late neighborhood, her "robbing" of the family clothes basket to get a robe for the princess in an impromptu play, her consequent nursery disgrace and her running away from home provide interest early in the play. Her "growing up," the death of the two aunts, and her betrothal winds up the good old-fashioned fence in the last, and the mixture of emotions keep some there sitting either too frisky or too morose in seeing the story's finish.

Edith Tallaferro was adjudged last night's audience to be as nearly a perfect Rebecca as possible. At first she seemed not strange to the role. It looked a bit like stage-fright, but one of Rebecca's first words off almost immediately, however, and those who know her best realized that she was the stage couldn't detect a flaw in her portrayal of the role. Alexis Mawn is an excellent character actor, who too long has been a stranger to Boston, as Jeremiah Cobb, the village stage driver, shares top-notch honors with Miss Tallaferro. He is the New England counterpart to Joe Jefferson. The rest of the cast filled its respective roles admirably. Marie Curtis as Aunt Miranda Sawyer, Alice Davies as Mrs. Sawyer, Hazel Dawn as Emma Jane Perkins, Violet Heming as Aunt Jane Sawyer, Ezra Bryan, Sam Coit, Ernest Treyx and Harry Brown as the other comfort fork of the play did excellent work.

Park.

"The Man from Home," a play which has been before the public for three years with William Hodge as the star, was seen before been given in Boston, opened at the Park last night. There was a large audience, which soon became a most enthusiastic one, and the play proved to be—as said right now that "The Man from Home" is the kind of play which makes any audience enthusiastic. Augustus Thomas, European high society is just the way Americans like to see it portrayed, and they come from Indiana, like "The Man from Home" or whether they live on Commonwealth avenue and try to mingle with the European elite when they go abroad every year. It is a patriotic play without much tommyrot or sycophancy, and in spite of the fact that the story dragged in the middle of the second act it is not at all intricate or complicated play. You can see through it from the first act, and you follow it all the more.

William Hodge is probably the cause of the wonderful success of the piece. He plays a lawyer from Kokomo, Indiana, a typical Hoosier with a steeple look, a lisp, a drawl and a placid manner which nothing can disturb. How he walks into the Italian hotel in charge of four young wards, repels them at first by his Indiana manner, and then by his good nature and unselfishness and consort with an English lord and his family, but finally wins them by exposing the mercenary Britishers is the story of the play.

Mr. Hodge has created a splendid character in "The Man from Home." He is not a type of good looking stalwart, but he has the look and personality that will take with folks far more than if they have been merely good looking.

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The balance of the bill is also very good indeed, the stirring part made a splendid impression and is bound to excite mastery and admiration of every one who sees the performance. Rolesilla, the wire walker, is an artist in his class and the way he goes about his work he proves that he is no mean pantomime comedian. Provate, "the Creature of the Violin," is another headliner entertaining Sam and Campbell, as the cowboys in "Camping Out," have a skit that is out of the ordinary and the applause which greeted it twice yesterday plainly bids fair to be true.

American Music Hall.

Maude Odell, the "English $10,000 prize beauty," is played as the first of many glittering attractions at the American Music Hall this week. A most interesting series of living pictures in color her demonstration as physical culturist and her own lithely attractive, as well as educational. Altogether she performance is a delightful and athletic young woman is one which well pleased the two large first day audiences at the Park Street house. She is a stranger at that French Bobby Burns, Rudolph Ormonde and Sketch, entitled, "The Dude Detective," the first act is one chock full of excellent comedy.

Walter James returned to Boston again yesterday, and negative that wonderfully clever monologist and his two pleasing partners of Harry Lauder, with Lauder's most popular songs as a setting, which fairly brought down the house. Much to the delight of the many Boston lovers, Alfred Karno comedians are remaining another week with their pantomime, "Two Men and a Night at the Theatre, London." The Jackson family of bicyclists do a host of wonderful and difficult stunts on their wheels. Every other number on the entire bill of fare of entertainment is of high grade.

Castle Square.

"1915" is playing to capacity audiences at the Castle Square, and nothing seems to speak more eloquently for its popularity. Yesterday two large houses witnessed the performance of the second week, and again the John Craig Stock Company showed its power to amuse. "1915" provides the most uninterrupted hours of entertainment, and its local humor, its merry jests at Boston affairs and Boston politics are uproariously received.

Grand Opera House.

"Sal, the Circus Girl," a drama in four acts by Owen Davis, was the attraction at the Grand Opera House last night. The production was presented by Madeline Louis does not fit in the part of the heroine, but the others in the cast are excellent.

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The balance of the bill is also very good indeed, the stirring part made a splendid impression and is bound to excite mastery and admiration of every one who sees the performance. Rolesilla, the wire walker, is an artist in his class and the way he goes about his work he proves that he is no mean pantomime comedian. Provate, "the Creature of the Violin," is another headliner entertaining Sam and Campbell, as the cowboys in "Camping Out," have a skit that is out of the ordinary and the applause which greeted it twice yesterday plainly bids fair to be true.

American Music Hall.

Maude Odell, the "English $10,000 prize beauty," is played as the first of many glittering attractions at the American Music Hall this week. A most interesting series of living pictures in color her demonstration as physical culturist and her own lithely attractive, as well as educational. Altogether she performance is a delightful and athletic young woman is one which well pleased the two large first day audiences at the Park Street house. She is a stranger at that French Bobby Burns, Rudolph Ormonde and Sketch, entitled, "The Dude Detective," the first act is one chock full of excellent comedy.

Walter James returned to Boston again yesterday, and negative that wonderfully clever monologist and his two pleasing partners of Harry Lauder, with Lauder's most popular songs as a setting, which fairly brought down the house. Much to the delight of the many Boston lovers, Alfred Karno comedians are remaining another week with their pantomime, "Two Men and a Night at the Theatre, London." The Jackson family of bicyclists do a host of wonderful and difficult stunts on their wheels. Every other number on the entire bill of fare of entertainment is of high grade.

Castle Square.

"1915" is playing to capacity audiences at the Castle Square, and nothing seems to speak more eloquently for its popularity. Yesterday two large houses witnessed the performance of the second week, and again the John Craig Stock Company showed its power to amuse. "1915" provides the most uninterrupted hours of entertainment, and its local humor, its merry jests at Boston affairs and Boston politics are uproariously received.

Grand Opera House.

"Sal, the Circus Girl," a drama in four acts by Owen Davis, was the attraction at the Grand Opera House last night. The production was presented by Madeline Louis does not fit in the part of the heroine, but the others in the cast are excellent.

Hollis Street.

John Drew, with pale blue pompons, two girls he courts and one who courts him made a hit at the Hollis Street Theatre last evening in his opening performance of "Jerningham George," a comedy rounds from the French, in which the hero plays the part of a gay deceiver. The play is frothy but wonderfully adapted to the personality of Mr. Drew, who has been a favorite of the Boston theatre public since the days when he was leading man to Augustin Daly's company. Seldom has Mr. Drew had such a chance to show his power in high comedy as in the part of George, nor ever might make some of the scenes funnier and the laughs last longer than in the part as he plays it. A better lead group of players has not been seen on the Hollis stage in a long while. Miss Mary Boland, the leading woman, seemed quite at home in Drew. She has never appeared to such advantage before, her characterization is pert and bewitching little hoydish carrying out large share of the comedy. Miss Boland seems to plan that fortnight. Maria Berkeley, Meredith Sothern and the rest members of the company.

Opera Seat Sale.

The Metropolitan Opera ticket sale for the brief season at the Boston Opera House opened yesterday morning with a long line of buyers that extended through the lobby into the street where the sale was in charge of with evidently be the most prosperous one in the history of grand opera in this city. The splendid equipment of the Boston Opera House will enable the Metropolitan company to give exact reproduction of the New York performances for the first time in this city.

Majestic.

J. J. Shubert, who was in Boston to attend the performance of "Dick Whittington," when seen at the Majestic Theatre after the Bond last night, said:

"Truth to the fact that the engine room and lower dressing rooms of the theatre were flooded there could be no performance. The dressing rooms of the principals were above the flood level so none of their costumes were in any way damaged. Many of the chorus costumes were drenched, but fortunately the place is to go into New York very soon, and at the present charge of 150 people will be doubled when we reach that city costumes were all ready in our wardrobe rooms in New York. I have had the New York office on the phone and ordered the duplicate costumes shipped on the midnight train tonight and they will be here early in the morning. The big scenic part of "Dick Whittington" was in no way injured, and we will give the entire performance on Tuesday evening in every respect as though nothing had happened. The first performance of the play will positively take place on Tuesday evening."

Triumph of Loie Fuller Is Complete

Loie Fuller came into her own last night at the Boston Opera House. There she saw her dreams in a foreign land realized—dreams that some day we would be able to present to Boston her conception of dancing in connection with the most beautiful and inspiring creations of master musicians. This she did last night, and Boston possess upon her brow the laurel wreath of this city's warm approval.

Before a large audience, representative, learned, delight it for a whole evening's performance with the greatest dancer is an unprecedented thing in this country, and when it is put down in the simplest form of Miss Fuller's programme it prepares the public for the poetic and unexpected pleasures of a temperament such to America.

Miss Fuller had appeared before in Boston's new temple of music, but only for a part of the evening. Last night she had a glimpse of what was in her mind to do, and Miss Fuller introduced a host of talented young dancers who recalled on the graces that could be fancied from the pages of history. The soloists were Irene Sanden, Gertrude Hoffman and Ruth St. Denis, two former, like Miss Fuller, all original in their work.

The Eye Sees Music.

What the harmonies that have originated the world have been to the ear, Miss Fuller has brought in bewitching form before the eye. Her dances are symphonies. Their circular continues were dominated somewhat after the manner of Wagner, but transformed himself successfully from the hard faces of today to the more ethereal of the Valkyrie.

Dancing to a musical composition Miss Fuller interpreted Grieg's "Last Mayday" and Auer appeared on the stage in Beethoven's Sonata Pathetique. Both of these numbers were the sobbing soul of the music, and delighted the audience. Miss Fuller, in Bueller, happier delineation. Grenadier, Spanish Dance, Serpentine, and Fire Dance, reared in Dusing, with her trailing muses, and Miss Fuller's appreciation that the skilful blend with the accompanying music.

No adequate story of the opening in the first two parts of the program could be told in this space. It is a picture for the painter, rather than for the typewriter.

A Wonderful Ballet.

"The ballet of light," a wonderful creation of electrical effects, concluded the programme. The new, enormous typhoon, the North Pole" as it has lately been vividly described by two gentlemen, and Schuett Swift, give their original whirlwind entertainment. Miss Porter tells in her own inimitable style several of her original stories, while Miss Swift gives a program of songs for children.

Elizabeth Porter, Vincent Club girl who gives entertainment for children today.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Mackaye of Hartford, Ct., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessie Margaret, to Mr. Harold Peabody Pratt, son of Mrs. Charles Pratt of Brookline and Yarmouth, and a graduate of Harvard, class of 1901.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Pillsbury of Somerville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice C. Pillsbury, to Victor Elliot Gilbert.

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The Fullerites in the process of the smart set today for the first presentation of the drama, "Colonial Dames by America," and the part given to-day is entitled "Caroline and the Colonies."

The other dates for the presentation of this popular play are January 11 and 18. A few more names of society matrons have lent their names for the affair and most of them have planned to attend.

The list of patronesses includes: Mrs. Eben S. Draper, Mrs. Curtis Guild, Jr., Mrs. Frederick Ayer, Mrs. Robert Hale Bancroft, Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. Robert Stone Bradley, Mrs. Dr. James Bowker, Mrs. Desire Desprudelle, Mrs. Franklin Dexter, Mrs. Whit Dexter, Mrs. Richard H. Dana, Mrs. Edward Little Fuller, Mrs. John H. Gardiner, Mrs. John Chipman Gray, Mrs. Francis Lee Higginson, Mrs. S. L. Gould, Mrs. Oscar Tuttle, Mrs. Eben D. Jordan, Mrs. David P. Kimball, Mrs. R. J. Lane, Miss Rose Lamb, Mrs. Frank Gair Macomber, Mrs. Seward Jason Mather, Mrs. Everett Morss, Mrs. Hugo Mansterberg, Mrs. Myron Pierce, Miss Lucius Mallin Sargent, Mrs. John Goddard Sharpe, Mrs. Frederick H. Tod, Mrs. William Tudor, Mrs. W. H. Vanderpoel, Mrs. Mary Lee Maie, Mrs. Edmund Wright, and Miss May Lewis.

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First of the Cinderella Dances for Society Girls to Be Held This Evening

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

Now that opera is a thing of the past for a time at least—society has gone to with a vim for dancing, and not a night this week but has a dance of some kind on its calendar.

The first one of the New Year was that last night which Mr. Amory gave for his pretty debutante niece, Miss Katherine Amory, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Tyler. The affair, which was one of the largest of the season, was preceded by several large dinners.

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To-night comes the first of the club-house dances, which seem to be so popular this year, and from which the hosts are excluded, giving the younger married set, the older girls and older men almost full sway. The first dance has fallen to the lot of the Country Club.

But the ends are too to be the last the same. For Mr. and Mrs. Hamlet have arranged a dance for their daughter and her cousin, Miss Rice.

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To-morrow night Mrs. Robert S. Bradley gives the first in her series of house dances for her daughter, Miss Ethel Bradley, and on Thursday Mrs. Bolles gives a dance for her daughter and Miss Wood.

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On Friday night comes the first of the real events of the Winter, the dress assembly at the Somerset and on the same evening Mr. Frederick Ayer will give a dance at her Commonwealth avenue house for her debutante daughter, Miss Beatrice Ayer.

Several large dances precede the first Cinderella dance tonight. The Inglesides were taking their guests up to Dedham after the performance for the full moon, Mrs. Gordon Abbott, Mrs. Oliver Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kissell, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Boylston Beal, Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. John T. Lindee and Mrs. Richard D. Sears. Benjamin Joy is manager, succeeding LeBaron Russell, who is in Philadelphia.

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Social Notes

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Mrs. Frederick Ayer will give a dance this with Leonard G. Roberts, P. M. door all

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Delegates representing a number of organizations met at the Hotel Touraine last night to make complete arrangements for the British Charity Ball, which will be held at the Somerset on February 22. John C. Manning, Jr., Samuel Carr, Jr., Frederick Perry, Reginald Perry, Reginald Perry, Jr., Harry Bunting, Major Albert F. Ellis, Major Frederick Ellis, Major Albert F. Ellis, and Mrs. F. Ellis, Mrs. Charles Humphrey Ayer, Mrs. Alfred Ford to Preston Davie. The three Boston men are among Mr. Davie's ushers.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS: FINANCIAL NEWS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

The market acts in accordance with the social law of the day—after the unchartered conviviality, the mournful reaction. Following the year-end celebration, the New Year slump.

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Belief by professional traders that they could make a turn on the short side of stocks became mostly week the 10 per cent, and because the railroad presidents left the White House without any apologies from President Taft was responsible for free selling of stocks.

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In addition there was the usual profit taking that comes at the beginning of every new year and the extinction of window dressing. Many stocks were marked up in December to make the reports of investment institutions look good.

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The legislation that the President proposes for the railroads has been outlined in these pages. Taft will have also something to say regarding the regulation of corporations other than railways. While his views may seem radical is, the first reading, certain of them will be less startling than in the first interpretation, if private information on that score is correct.

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The President proposes the control of the industrials by a bureau which will have the yea and nay in the matter of stock and bond issues; a bureau which will prohibit all corporations from owning stock in competing companies; will invite all manner of businesses to incorporate under a national incorporation act. These are the salient proposals. There are minor ones, such as annual reports in which companies will be required to give facts conditions more fully than is exacted by the Stock Exchange.

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Steel was a bad actor at the opening session. It was offered freely at the very beginning of the day. This selling of Steel led many to believe that J. P. Morgan had not been satisfied with his visit to the White House. Inquiry among the leaders of high finance failed to develop any apprehension in regard to Washington. The reaction in the market is generally looked upon as a natural thing and as part of the campaign for higher figures.

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Efforts to depress prices are seen in several directions. An unofficial report says that directors of Southern Pacific might postpone the advance of the dividend to seven per cent. until Congress adjourned. This is no good reason for selling the stock, because the advance has been chiefly on account of the opening of the Mexican lines. It has been the understanding that Union Pacific would not increase its dividend at once to twelve per cent. if the government would hear the suits against that company at an early date. These suits deal with the right of the company to hold stocks in other railroads. The matter is set for a hearing in the Superior Court of January 17, and this promise of an early settlement will undoubtedly postpone the dividend increase and perhaps will force segregation.

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Amongst specialties gas stocks are particularly strong. The talk in connection with Brooklyn Union is that enough convertible bonds will be given to the stockholders as a special dividend to make up an even eight per cent. on the 1905. This would mean distribution of seventeen per cent. altogether. Gas companies in all parts of the United States are making phenomenal profits. Stock of the company supplying Washington is $20 par and sold yesterday at $79 a share. Gas experts say the earnings justify $100 a share. The Consolidated Gas Company of New York will be compelled to bring its surplus out of hiding very soon.

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Burying of Pacific Coast, which has been attracting attention the last few days found an explanation in a report that the Goulds, or whoever is in control of the Denver & Rio Grande, had planned an extension from San Francisco to Seattle and Spokane. The Pacific Coast Company controls most of the available terminal property in Seattle and will have to be dealt with by any railroad entering that city. The great Northwest seems to be just entering upon its boom.

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This boom is not confined to the United States. Canadians are rejoicing at the speed with which the United States is pushing the Panama Canal. The new port Seattle and Vancouver will be the chief beneficiaries of that canal, among all the ports on the Pacific coast. The great wheat fields of the Canadian Northwest will send their produce to Vancouver for shipment to London by way of Panama, for the canal will put Vancouver closer to London than Chicago is, from a freight standpoint. Mills and Judge Lovett both realize this fact, and they are both pushing their railroad systems to that city.

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Dexter M. Smith, John R. C. Batchelder, Arthur T. Dyer and Howard C. Rand have become associated with the new firm of Thompson, Towle & Co.

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Messrs. Fitzgerald, Hubbard & Co. have started business at 95 Milk street. The firm is composed of Hugh J. Fitzgerald, George E. Clarkson, Charles G. Leffest and Jesse B. Hubbard, formerly members of the firm of Towle & Fitzgerald, and Charles G. Lund, and has membership on the New York and Boston Exchanges.

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Oscar Simmons and Walter H. Burr have formed the firm of Simonds & Burr, with offices at 50 Congress street.

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Edward P. Merritt, of the firm of Merritt & Co., has transferred his Boston Stock Exchange seat to Albert H. Newman of the same firm.

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Millett, Roe & Hagen have admitted Arthur C. Wise to membership in the firm.

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At the annual meeting of the Franklin Savings Bank the following were added to the membership of the corporation: George A. O. Ernst, Matthew Bartlett, George S. Baldwin, William B. Sycrett, Jr., Frank Bayley, James H. Whitney, Jr., President Whitney and other trustees were re-elected.

CACTUS ARIZONA COMMERCIAL

Our weekly Market Letter treats fully of the Financial situation, mentions Gila, Inspiration, Franklin, Hancock, Bay Central, Ohio, Majestic, American Smelters, Wabash pfd. and Boston Copper" and "Curb" stocks in general. Mailed free upon request.

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LOCAL STOCKS SLIGHTLY OFF

STATE STREET, Jan. 4.—Stocks were freely offered at the opening to-day, which gave the market a weak appearance. The declines did not exceed ½ point, however, in copper shares outside of Amalgamated. Exceptions were advances in Giroux and Kerr Lake, which were in demand for New York account. The former rose from 11¾ to 12¼ and the latter from 9⅞ to 10⅝. There was no news or gossip accompanying these advances.

Amalgamated dropped a point to 88⅝ on the closing down of the mines in the Butte camp, owing to misunderstandings with labor. This factor helps the metal situation just to the extent of the length of time that the mines are closed. Tight money in New York was also a contributing factor in the weakness of Amalgamated, but money flurries usually correct themselves to a short time.

North Butte was very freely offered at the opening, out only went of ⅛ point to 70. Lake Copper surged ½ to 24¾. Tamarack in the meantime rose 2 points to 74.

Prices on the Curb weakened slightly in sympathy with the general weakness, but the tone was good and the market active.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

	High.	Low.	Noon.
RAILROADS.			
Boston Elevated	135¼	135¼	135¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	138½	138½	138½
TELEPHONES.			
American	140¾	140¼	140½
MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
Arcadian	56½	56½	56½
Arcadian	7¼	7¼	7¼
Arizona Commercial	49¼	49¼	49¼
Butte Coalition	25¼	25¼	25¼
Calumet & Arizona	102½	102	102
Calumet & Hecla	680	680	680
Copper Range	84	83¾	83¾
Franklin	18	18	18
Granby	111	110½	110¾
Greene-Cananea	11¾	11¼	11¾
La Salle Copper	17¾	17½	17½
Mohawk	58¾	58¾	58¾
Nevada Con.	26¾	26¼	26¼
North Butte	48	47¾	47¾
Osceola	21	20¾	20¾
Quincy	91	90	90
Santa Fe	2¾	2¾	2¾
Shannon	17¾	17¾	17¾
Tamarack	74	74	74
Utah Copper	59	58	59
Winona	12¾	12½	12½
Wolverine	150	150	150
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Mass. Gas pf.	93	93	93
United Fruit	108	108	108
United Shoe Mach.	70½	70	70
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Am. Agri. Chem.	40	39¾	39¾
Boston & Corbin	22¾	22¾	22¾
Big Ledge	27	26¾	26¾
Lake Copper	71	70½	70½
Miami Copper	28¾	28¼	28¼
Sup. & Boston	16¾	16½	16¾
Swift & Co.	109	109	109
U. S. Smelting	54	53¾	54
U. S. Smelting pf.	52¾	52½	52½
Utah Apex	5	5	5

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

	High.	Low.	Noon.
RAILROADS.			
Atch., T. & S. F.	122⅞	121¾	122¾
At., T. & S. F. pf.	103⅝	103½	103⅝
Balt. & Ohio	117¾	117¼	117¾
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	79¾	79½	79½
Canadian Pacific	181	180	180
Ches. & Ohio	90⅜	89⅝	90
Chic. Gt. West	23⅞	23½	23⅝
Chic., M. & P.	150¾	150¼	150¼
Chic. & N. W.	181	180	180
C., C., C. & St. L.	89¼	89¼	89¼
Col. & Southern	57⅞	57½	57⅝
Del. & Hudson	183¾	183¼	183¼
Denver & Rio G.	50⅝	50¼	50¼
Erie	34¾	34½	34½
Erie 1st pf.	51	50¾	50¾
N. Norfolk pf.	142½	142½	142½
Illinois Central	146	146	146
Int.-Metropol.	24	23¾	24
Int.-Met. pf.	60¼	60	60¼
Kan. City So.	24	23¾	23¾
Louis. & Nash.	157	157	157
Mex. Nat. R.	20	19½	19½
Missouri Pac.	70¾	70½	70½
N. Y. C. & Hud.	122½	122¼	122¼
N. Y. Ont. & W.	48¾	48½	48½
Norfolk & West.	108¼	108	108
Northern Pac.	144¼	143¾	143¾
Reading	169	168	168¾
Rock Island	54¾	54¼	54¼
Rock Island pf.	90	89½	90
Southern Pac.	124¾	124¼	124¼
Southern Ry.	33	32¾	32¾
Texas & Pacific	33¾	33½	33½
Union Pacific	201⅞	201¼	201½
Union Pac. pf.	102¾	102¾	102¾
Wabash	26¼	25⅞	25⅞
Wabash pf.	50¾	50¼	50¼
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	89⅞	88½	89⅛
Am. Ag. Chem.	47⅞	47¾	47¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	72	71⅝	71⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	67	67	67
Am. Ice Securities	26⅜	26¼	26¼
Amer. Locomo.	61¾	60½	61¼
Am. Smelting & R.	107⅛	106¾	107
Am. Sug. Ref.	121⅝	121¼	121¼
Amer. Tob. pf.	132½	132½	132½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	138¾	138¼	138¼
Am. Woolen	30¼	30	30
Anaconda Cop.	52	51⅝	51⅝
Am. Steel & Fdry.	40	38⅝	40
Am. Steel & Fdry. pf.	120¾	120¼	120¼
Central Leather	47¾	47¼	47¼
Central Leather pf.	138¾	138¼	138¼
National Lead	89	88¾	88¾
Pacific Mail	47¾	47¾	47¾
People's Gas	117½	117	117
Rep. I. & Steel	42	41¾	41¾
Rep. I. & Steel pf.	104¾	104¼	104¼
U. S. Rubber	31¾	31½	31½
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	97¾	97¾	97¾
U. S. Steel pf.	124¾	123¾	123¾
Utah Copper	59¾	59½	59¾
West. El. & Mfg.	81¾	81¾	81¾

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of Prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Consol.	89¼	88½	89¼
Amal. Nev.	12¾	11¾	12¾
Bonanza	1¾	1¾	1¾
Boston Ely	1	1	1
Bonanza	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Butte & Boston	96	96	96
Butte Coalition	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Cactus Mdn.	42¼	42	42
Cactus rights	1¾	1¾	1¾
Calumet & Ariz.	103	102	102
Chief Con.	12½	12½	12½
Con. Ariz.	2¾	2¾	2¾
Con. Arizona	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Corbin	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Com. Smelting	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
Davis-Daly	15-16	15-16	15-16
Elm Central	1	1	1
Emerald	19¾	19¾	19¾
Engineer	9 5-16	9 5-16	9 5-16
Ely Con.	15-16	15-16	15-16
Ely Con. rights	1-16	1-16	1-16
Mass. Gas	93	93	93
Mass. Gas pf.	94	94	94
Mass. Consol.	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
Mass. Ely	2¼	2¼	2¼
Mass. Ely pf.	8¾	8¾	8¾
Mass. Sm. & Ref.	1¾	1¾	1¾
Mass. Sm. & Ref. pf.	5¾	5¾	5¾
Mass. Utah	1	1	1
New Boston	1	1	1
New Cornelia	19 7-16	19	19
Nipissing	8¾	8½	8¾
North Butte	48	47¾	47¾
North Lake	1	1	1
Northern Exp.	1	1	1
Old Colony	1	1	1
Old Dominion	36	36	36
Osceola	21	20¾	20¾
Parrot	27¼	27	27¼
Quincy	91	90	90
Ray Con.	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
Shannon	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
Superior & Boston	16¾	16½	16¾
Superior & Pitts.	1¾	1¾	1¾
Tamarack	74	74	74
Trinity	11	11	11
Tri-Bullion	1	1	1
Utah Apex	5	5	5
Utah Con.	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
Utah Copper	59¾	59½	59¾
Victoria	3	3	3
Winona	12¾	12½	12½
Wolverine	150	150	150
Yukon Gold	2	2	2

*New stock.

MAN WHO SAYS HE KILLED GIRL HELD

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 4.—Declaring that he murdered Miss Anna Lloyd, whose brutal killing has made a reservation here, a negro is under arrest at Port, Ky., according to a dispatch received to-day. The white man and negro arrested here yesterday in connection with the mysterious crime are still held, however.

10 PERSONS HURT IN KENTUCKY WRECK

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Jan. 4.—Ten persons were hurt, three seriously, when two passenger trains on the Louisville & Nashville collided at Oakland to-day.

HEAVINESS IN WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Further heaviness developed in the stock market today because of apprehension of what President Taft will say in his message to Congress this week. Union Pacific, Steel, Reading, Rock Island and Southern Pacific lost nearly a point in the early trading on liberal selling.

The possible closing of the Amalgamated mines because of labor troubles is expected to influence the price of copper metal because it will reduce the copper output of the United States considerably. Copper shares, however, were heavy to-day with the rest of the market and lost about a point each.

Toward the end of the first hour large buying orders appeared in Southern Pacific that caused a rally in the stock of over a point, putting it to a level where it showed a net gain.

American shares were heavy in London with the general stock showing special weakness. Copper shares were fractionally lower on the New York curb market.

WOMEN ARRAIGNED IN SMUGGLING CASE

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Mrs. May K. Weber, known as Mme. Whitney, and her sister, Mrs. Katharyn Schnarr, charged with complicity in the dress goods smuggling conspiracy through the port of New York, appeared before United States Commissioner Foote to-day for their preliminary hearing.

Theatres.

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Is your dull, sluggish condition getting you down? If so, this about time you rolled over and took one of your sluggishness. What's the use of dividing up your time into two parts—sleep and work. Try the first one and get out of life that makes him live the longest. That's the fellow that always takes to the big laugh shows at the Howard. That's the man who will have a batch of real sleepers, snarky girls here and there to make you sit up and take notice. Step out and treat you to it in a merry tangle of fun and gaiety. Just watch the

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PROPERTY ON WINTER STREET IN NEW HANDS

Another large downtown property was reported in the large volume of sales in the realty market to-day.

This is the estate at Nos. 31-33 Winter street, near Tremont street, and is assessed for a total of $188,000, although the purchase price was in excess of that figure. Alice G. Richardson conveyed to T. Fales Gray. The property comprises a five-story brick building, with stores and offices and 1,464 square feet of land, the latter taxed on a valuation of $171,200.

In Roxbury the three-story brick house and 3,218 square feet of land on the Kenilworth Tremont street, corner of Rewall street, have been sold by Mary Hyams to Harold A. Pratt. This property is assessed on a total valuation of $21,000, of which $16,000 is on the land.

In Boston proper a parcel of land 20 feet of land at No. 50 Kneeland street has been sold by Peter Sullivan to Margaret McKinney. The property is taxed for a total of $10,000, of which $8,000 is on the land.

Title to the property at 50-52 Sudbury street, corner of Dartmouth, Boston, has been conveyed by Annie Sullivan to Kathryn Johnson. It is assessed on a valuation of $15,000, of which $11,000 is on the land. The land is taxed for $11,000.

Joseph D. Pickett has sold to Elizabeth A. Pritchard the three-story brick house and 2,350 square feet of land at No. 4 Hancock street, Dorchester, assessed for $3,100. The land is taxed for $1,000.

In Brighton, large tract of land containing 20,521 square feet, on the northerly side of Boston street, near the Needham line and Cheesebrough lane, has been sold by Diantha to Elizabeth M. Colbert.

Stroud's Farm Sales.

J. Chester Marshall, of Beverly, Vice has purchased the two brickets from the same town, one having 10 rooms and the other 9 rooms, with outbuildings, and large tracts of land. Mr. Marshall buys for a permanent home. Peters has also purchased the Stanley Bowles farm on the west side of the Highland road to Peters Pond, containing about 100 acres, with house, barn and dairy room. The Kenmore valley property, on the Reading line, has been sold. Farmer buys for a permanent home and has taken possession.

Fred Spaulding, south Royalston, has purchased the Hiram Bowker farm, on the Winchendon road.

Two country sales reported to-day are those of the late A. Wallace Hall, of Mr. Hall's home, or summer home, in Hamilton, and those belonging to the estate of the late Mrs. Osborne Iasi, a permanent home and will soon take possession.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

THREE MILLION FREE STAMPS AT SIEGEL'S

Thousands of Greater Boston and New England shoppers have been attracted today at the Henry Siegel store the tremendous trading stamp novel ordered at the opening of this new feature of the store yesterday.

The stamp business on the opening day was a record-breaker. Mr. Siegel said to-day:

3,000,000 on First Day.

"Over 1,000,000 stamps were given out with merchandise purchases on the first day and more than 50,000 books of forty free stamps each.

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"The premium parlor this premium parlor to be a permanent feature of the Siegel Company's business, and the books when filled may be redeemed on the premises.

Premiums on Exhibition.

Samuel E. Rosecrye of the executive board of the Sperry & Hutchinson Company of New York is in personal charge of the opening week. He is a native of Rotterdam, and is naturally more than interested in the newly-opened up field in our metropolitan town.

Mr. Rosecrye spent much time in the premium parlor to-day, noting the differences in premiums and the preferences in their wishes for the premiums they meant to obtain. "The premium parlor," said Mr. Rosecrye, "is particularly good, for it contains many beautiful articles of silverware, pottery and other goods and furnishings, artistic in distinctive array.

AINSLEE & GRABOW RAN TITCHFIELD

The Titchfield Boat at Port Antonio, Jamaica, that has been reported to have been owned by the United Fruit Company, it was under the management of Ainslee & Grabow, well-known ship brokers of the Empire and Dilleries of Boston. It was for the benefit of the owners of the Titchfield Wood of the Hotel Bellevue, on first to be served.

NEWS DRIVERS DANCE TONIGHT

In Interscholastic Hall, Dudley street, Roxbury, to-night, the third ball of Newspaper Drivers and Helpers' Union, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, will be held. The proceeds go toward the sick and death benefit fund.

James J. Storrow, candidate for Mayor, has accepted the invitation to attend, and it is expected that ex-Mayor Fitzgerald will attend.

William H. Boyle will be chief marshal. The floor director will be Abraham Pearlstein. James J. Trainor and Francis T. Brugman will be assistant floor directors.

The other officers are: Chief of aids, Henry Feeley; aides-de-chief of aids, Owen Healy and John Bolyen; aids, Jean Leary, George Lowery, Charles Fitzgerald, Louis Goff, William Anglney, George Leach, J. M. Barton, Harry Leitch, T. S. Herlihy, Charles Mc[illegible], C. L. Grace, Edward Sherman, M. J. Sullivan, Dr. Davis, Dorr, Wilhams, W. J. Mahoney, Frank J. Eastman, H. Weiner, T. Lane, John B. Livingstone, D. Murphy, Timothy Corcoran, D. J. Davis, Michael Dunn, Michael Meehan, Edward Goode, Max Taffelansky, Morris Walker, William Hanna and O. Tyrrance.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND DEFENDS LEOPOLD

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 4.—Archbishop Ireland warmly defends the course of the late King Leopold of Belgium in his government of the Congo.

The statement says:

"As time is allowed for calm consideration of acts, the general American press changes very much for the better its tone with regard to the administration of the Congo under the late King of Belgium. There was at first the passionate outcry against the horrors which were committed under his regime. Now, however, official documents, or reports of disinterested and unprejudiced travellers are being disposed to, and the horrors of atrocities is lessening or less put to rest. As a plain matter of fact there were no atrocities in the Congo."

MME. CAVALIERI IN CONCERT TO-NIGHT

Lina Cavalieri of the Manhattan Opera Company, one of the most beautiful women in the world, as well as one of the most popular and accomplished operatic prima donnas, will appear in concert for the first time in this city at Symphony Hall this evening. She will be assisted by George Harris, tenor, and Elizabeth Parkinson and Evelyn Beatrice Paige.

Caviglia made her debut in Boston in opera with the Metropolitan as the heroine in Puccini's "Manon Lescaut." This was four years ago. Since then she has been constantly studying and has appeared frequently in her art under the tuition of Victor Maurel.

Her program will include arias from "Carmen" and groups of French and German songs. Harris will sing arias from "L'Attaque du Moulin" and "Grisoldis."

PEANUT SHELL BREAKFAST FOOD

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The Chicago Federation of Labor adopted resolutions calling upon the national pure food commission to investigate if peanut shells constitute the basic element in the manufacture of breakfast foods.

"In a recent freight train wreck it was discovered that the cars of cereals consigned to breakfast food concerns were loaded with peanut shells from the peanut butter factories in the South," said President John Fitzpatrick.

CLEMENCEAU PLANS TOUR.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—Ex-Premier Clemenceau may visit the United States within a few months. It was announced to-day that he will tour South America in the Spring lecturing on Socialism.

FIND LOOPHOLE IN LIQUOR LAW

That a loophole has been found in the federal law governing interstate transportation of alcoholic liquor, in the opinion of experts here.

Instead of labeling packages in large letters, the contents will be printed in the smallest of print ing on small tags.

Boston's largest liquor shipping house, where three-fourths of the trade is sold in town, is shipping bottled goods as first arever.

One of the firm said that the concern expected no decrease in its business, and that it expects no complaints from patrons or on the other hand, from the Government, which has lived on a penalty or infringement a fine of not more than $5,000 or two years' imprisonment.

This is because on the packages, which are to be sent by express, there appears only the table of contents is finely written on the bottom of the tag, and as a result, the markings are not conspicuous enough to be objectionable, although they do conform with the letter of the law.

METROPOLITAN IN NO OPERATIC DEAL

Official denial comes from New York of the story that the Metropolitan Opera Company is negotiating to buy Hammerstein's withdrawal from the operatic field. The representative of the Metropolitan in this city said to-day in explanation: "There seems to be a tendency to make the Metropolitan Opera Company as of some huge commercial trust, seeking to crush out competition by the use of an enormous capital. Nothing could be further from the truth. It is the aim of the stockholders to attain as high perfection in grand opera as money and money can accomplish. That there could ever be any combination of this undertaking never entered the head of the wildest enthusiast.

"The commercial idea does not enter into the plans. The present administration of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Casazza and Andreas Dippel, is using the enormous resources of the organization only to accomplish the greatest artistic results. The attitude of the Metropolitan toward other organizations of similar aims is one of co-operation, as illustrated in the case of Boston opera. In a word, the Metropolitan opera has become a part of the high-spirited movement that is bearing fruit all over the country. Its true purposes are just beginning to be understood.

Deaths.

DOLLIER—At her home on Goddard st., Brookline, Monday, Jan. 3, Ada Ripley Dollier, aged 67 years. Funeral services at her late residence, 10 Cedar st., Brookline, Thursday, Jan. 6, at 11 A. M. Interment private.

KEYES—In Dorchester, Jan. 3, Simeon Porter, 64 years. Funeral from late residence, Meadia st., Wednesday, Jan. 5, at 2 P. M.

O'LEARY—In Roxbury, Jan. 3, Patrick, in his 70th year. Funeral from his late residence, 39 Winthrop st., Roxbury, Jan. 5, at 8:30 A. M., thence to requiem at the Mission Church at 10:30 A. M. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at late home of Elm Hill Council 219, K. of C.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Saturday night, cor. Hayward pl. and Washington st., extending to Boylston, pocketbook containing marked "O.P.M.A.A." K 498, Boston American office, reward.

LOST—Ladies' gold lorgnette, in vicinity of Copley Square Hotel. A suitable reward will be paid for return of same to SUITE 100, Copley Square Hotel.

LOST—On Exeter st., between Newbury and Huntington ave., or on S. Huntington, Jan. 2, Huntington ave., or on S. Huntington, Jan. 2, Attache case. Finder please return to 1 Exeter st., Copley Square Hotel. A suitable reward will be paid for return of same.

LOST—Thursday night, solitary cat or Berkeley st., south from Columbus ave., name on collar. Return 24 Shepard st., Cambridge; reward.

FOUND—Ladies' pocketbook, on Beacon st., Apply to T Goodwin pl., off Morton st., Boston.

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Who Shall Lead the World to the World's Desire?

The old year of 1909 closed with the dream of Universal Peace, the new year of 1910 begins with the aspiration renewed and emphasized in action.

In the eager rush of the holidays the plan of uniting the five great nations with our own in a peace pact to disband the standing armies of the world and police the seven seas with an international fleet found entrance to the heart and judgment, but the busy hands of philanthropy were too steeped in personal charities to take hold in deed.

Now the old year has gone, the holidays are spent, and the great nations facing the new year can write no higher and more glorious resolution than that wars shall be no more.

The whole world is weary of standing armies, the burden of war taxes and the threat of blood.

Europe spends $1,500,000,000 every year in keeping prepared for slaughter. A million and a half of men are kept in barracks who might be producing, or bettering the world. Three hundred millions of our own American money is dedicated annually to the prophecy of slaughter.

WHY CANNOT THE WORLD'S DESIRE FIND GREAT MEN TO LEAD IT TO GLORIOUS CONSUMMATION?

Seven great men at this stage of civilization have only to join hands to establish and perpetuate the peace of the world.

Roosevelt and Taft, Edward of England and William of Germany, Nicholas of Russia, Fallieres of France and the Mikado of Japan have only to stand shoulder to shoulder, pledging their hearts and hands to this one incomparable vast philanthropy, and the battle of the centuries is already won.

Magnificent opportunity! Majestic responsibility!

How can these great men fail to see and meet the immortal duty which the new year lays in their grasp?

The President of the United States can bring these men together. This great land of peace has a peace President, whose fame is wholesome everywhere. He has a predecessor whose name rings magnetic and inspiring round the world. If President Taft would rejoice the world with a Peace Proclamation while the great year is young. If Theodore Roosevelt would come home to carry the evangel to his great fellows across the seas. If Andrew Carnegie, president of the Peace Society, would say that the capital of the country will be pledged to furnish every dollar needed to finance the mighty enterprise, this sunlit new year of 1910 would mark the first stately step toward the realization of the world's millennial hope.

The American, at least, chooses to celebrate the arrival of 1910 by joyously blowing the beautiful bugles of Peace and writing upon its tablets the prophecy of the not far distant time:

When the war drums throb no longer,
And all battle flags are furled
In the parliament of man,
The Federation of the World.

Departure of Wu Ting-Fang

The retiring Chinese Minister has sailed away, and every American who has noted the fact will be a little sorry.

This remarkable man, from the most foreign and distant of nations, is chiefly remarkable because there is nothing queer about him.

We all like him because he is entirely like ourselves. He has conferred a tremendous benefit upon the world by being lucid and intelligible—just human.

He is a great man, because he has never ceased to be a child. His gentle reproaches for our overstrain and grasping will be received everywhere without a shadow of offense. And his promise to return in fifty years will be regarded as a pleasant, if not hopeful, prospect.

But it is not pleasant to remember that the withdrawal of Wu Ting-Fang is a kind of punishment imposed upon us by the Chinese Foreign Office, because of our deafness and blindness to the wrongs done to China in Manchuria.

The recall of Minister Wu followed hard upon China's unsuccessful appeal to the Powers last September for help in the warding off of Japanese aggressions and the maintenance of the policy of the "open door."

China has submitted to the high-handedness of Japan—its mailed fist thrust through the flimsy parchment of treaties—and has called home its great Minister from Washington, because he loves America too well.

The whole Manchurian business has been bungled sadly by our Department of State; but in saying goodby to Minister Wu, we have no notion of putting a period to our friendship for China.

He may be as useful to the good understanding of nations from Pekin as from Washington.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

BRINGING UP CHILDREN

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

For their children's sake, mothers should have full opportunity to develop their mental force, to be able and help to better humanity.

Many parents are bringing children into the world without comprehending the great responsibility they have.

If children have been brought up by decent parents, and if they seem to have a good character, temptation may lead them astray.

A mother will always sacrifice herself for her children. If they are sick she will nurse them, and if her husband deserts them or starts drinking she will work for them.

A child may get wayward, be put in prison and be deserted as an outcast, yet the mother will stick by it. A father may turn his wayward child out and bolt him the house, but in the end it will break the mother's heart and send her to the grave.

God does not want to let a mother perish in despair without giving her a chance to endeavor to bring about better conditions, cultivate humanity and avoid temptation. Yours truly, J. S.

FOR PARCELS POST.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

The farmer or producer of foodstuffs is not getting very much benefit from the prevailing high prices.

Three years ago 100 pounds of corn cost me $1.20, and I got 35 cents a dozen for eggs. I now pay $1.60 for 100 pounds of corn, but I still get 35 cents a dozen for eggs.

The express company used to return empty egg crates free of charge. Last year they demanded 15 cents for each crate. This year the charge is reduced to 10 cents.

I have shipped grapes, which netted me just two cents for a basket weighing eight pounds. Whatever money there was in grapes went to the railroad and commission men.

As I view the case, the residents of cities need a parcels post, and it would also benefit the farmer.

But the tariff is the greatest single thing in the high cost of living. And to get relief from this I see no chance, unless the great papers like the AMERICAN will unite in a fight for the people.

W. J. DOUGAN.

LAYS BLAME ON THE TARIFF

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

In reply to the question, "Why Does It Cost More to Live?" I would say that the fault undoubtedly is in the high protective tariff of this country on commodities that are controlled by the various trusts.

For instance, beef, mutton, etc., has increased in price seventy-five per cent. in the last fifteen or twenty years, while Canadian beef, mutton, etc., is practically barred from the country by the tariff.

Coal has increased in cost sixty to sixty-five per cent. in the last fifteen or twenty years, while Welsh coal is practically barred by the tariff.

So on down the line, on pretty nearly everything used in the household. In the meantime, the workingman is lulled to sleep with that old worn-out cry, "Protection to American industries," or, in other words, "Protection to American trusts," and as a sop a ten to fifteen per cent. increase in wages, while, on the other hand he pays from thirty-five to forty per cent. more on the cost of living.

JAMES F. FARRELL.

An Honest Man

By F. OPPER

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I'M THE MAYOR OF THE CITY AND THIS IS THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY. IF YOU WANT TO GET ON THE POLICE FORCE WE CAN FIX IT FOR $200
SURE! AY BAN STRONG SWEDE, AY LIKE TO GET GOOD JOB ON POLICE FORCE
SLIP US THE COIN AND WE'LL GET YOU ON
MY FRIEND, HONESTY COMPELS ME TO INFORM YOU THAT THOSE TWO PERSONS ARE TRYING TO DO YOU!
YOU TRY TO YOLLY ME! YOU PLAY YOKES ON ME! I YUMP ALL OVER YOU!
WELL GIVE HIM THE BEATING OF HIS LIFE!
IF HE TRIES TO RUN TRIP HIM UP!
HONEST MAN
F. Opper

ELBERT HUBBARD'S ARTICLE REST IN CHANGE

Especially Written for the American

By ELBERT HUBBARD

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ARE we downhearted?

No-o-o-o!!

One reason, Teresa, why I am able to roll off the tasks, and keep my shirtsleeves working in double shifts is because I am a moving picture fiend.

I do not drink and I do not smoke, but I spend ten cents on a moving picture show whenever I have the chance. Sometimes I spend a dollar and take nine kids with me.

Between the nicotine and the alkaloideon I prefer the latter.

The moving picture show cheers, but does not inebriate.

It lubricates the wheels of existence, rests, refreshes, stirs the imagination, brings into play a new set of convolutions and costs a dime.

It never gives you that dark brown taste the day after, nor a headache and that tired feeling; nor does it make for a hike to the booby hutch.

For nervous prostration or nervous prosperity try the moving pictures.

I go to see the moving pictures so as to keep from having nervous prostration.

If you go to the races you'll probably bet—and, anyway, you'll get excited. If you go to the theatre you will have to dress for it, perhaps have a carriage and a little feed afterward. And you'll get tired out.

But the moving pictures is Jeffersonian simplicity and practical democracy. You slide in and out, and the whole thing is free from frills, fads and fussiness. You always get your money's worth, and there is no haunting regrets as to your having made a fool of yourself by spending a whole evening on a bum play and knocking a five-dollar bill all to flinders.

Another thing about moving pictures is that the invention is one of the great educational factors of the time. It is one of the things that is helping to make this old world over into a better and happier place.

Up to less than a hundred years ago civilization was provincial. Only a few people could travel, see and know. The many were submerged in ignorance and superstition. The sailors who went around the world were nature fakers. The stories they told us would make your hair curl.

Now we are getting acquainted with the world. Quick transportation, the telegraph, the telephone, the talking machines and moving pictures are bringing the world to our doors.

I once knew a dear old lady who had a way of saying when you told her anything, "I want to know—I want to know!"

I used to laugh at this, but now, I sympathize with the sentiment. "I want to know—I want to know!"

In Missouri the folks ask for visual demonstration. This to me is also beautiful.

Show Me! I Want to Know!!

The moving picture satisfies our desire to know, because it shows us. The extent of knowledge which it distributes as to the ways, customs and habits of the people of the world is great, and far-reaching for good.

I am a writer of books. In these books I describe what I have seen, and the things I imagine, and I state some of the things which seem to me to be true. Just to the degree that I express truth and make men think do I benefit them.

No criticism can be brought against moving pictures which cannot be brought against books with equal truth. There are good books, there are bad books and there are bum books written by punk parties with literary eczema, which are neither good nor bad.

It is exactly so with moving pictures. These pictures tell a story, playing the thing out while you sit and look on.

Good people only want to see the truthful and the worthy.

It is generally conceded that the Boston American has a greater circulation than all the other Boston evening papers combined, and that it is as strong in Boston in the evening field as, for example, a paper of the combined strength of the Evening Journal and Evening World would be in New York city, or the Evening American and Evening News in Chicago.—*Advertisers' Magazine.*

Braggo Goes Skating

By GUS MAGER

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I KNOW THE ICE IS THIN, BUT THAT DOESN'T MATTER TO AN EXPERT SKATER LIKE ME! I SKATE SO FAST THE ICE DOESN'T HAVE TIME TO BREAK UNDER ME!
THE ICE LOOKS RATHER THIN, BRAGGO!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME. THIS ISN'T THE FIRST TIME I'VE SKATED ON RUBBER ICE! IT'S EASY WHEN YOU KNOW HOW!
OH, IT'S BENDING! LOOK OUT!
IT ISN'T SAFE FOR AN AMATEUR, BUT AS FOR ME, I KNOW JUST WHERE THE WEAK SPOTS ARE AND—
DANGER
MERCY! HELP!
GEE! MY POP'S GREAT!
LOOK OUT, POP!
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The Hallroom Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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SAY FERD, DID YOU NOTICE HOW WELL COLDHASH LOOKED THIS MORNING? EVERY MORNING HE TAKES A WALK IN THE PARK BEFORE COMING TO BUSINESS. NOW WE OUGHT TO START THE NEW YEAR BY DOING SOMETHING ON THAT LINE. WE'LL GO TO BED EARLY EVERY NIGHT, AND IN THE MORNING WE'LL GET OUT FOR A BRISK WALK.
HOW YOU'RE TALKING SENSE. WE'VE NOTHING ON TO-NIGHT SO WE'LL BE ABLE TO MAKE A GOOD START.
BY JOVE, HALL-ROOM - I'VE BEEN WANTING TO SEE YOU. HOWEY ABOUT COMING TO MY STAG TO-NIGHT. RATHER SHORT NOTICE, BUT I'VE BEEN SO BUSY I COULDN'T LOOK YOU UP.
FAR BE IT FROM ME TO PASS UP A STAG.
SURE OLD MAN COUNT ME IN.
BE-YOUU-TIFUL EYES
BE-YOUU-TIFUL EYES
THERE WAS A LADY
4 O'CLOCK! AND WE'VE GOT TO GET UP A 6. OH TO BE RICH AND BE ABLE TO LIE ABED IN THE MORNING.
GEE - IF I DON'T GO TO BED WITH ALL MY CLOTHES ON, I'VE ONLY A COUPLE OF HOURS TO SLEEP, SO WHAT'S THE USE OF UNDRESSING.
6 A.M.
DING-DONG
SNORE-X-X-X-PISE
11 O'CLOCK! HEAVENS FERD, DIDN'T YOU HEAR THAT ALARM GO OFF?
11! DO MY EYES DECEIVE ME? AND WE'LL GET DOCKED FOR ½ A DAY.
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